Today's Weather. Fair.

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FINANCIAL.

New York stocks active and buoyant, closing higher all around. In Pittsburgh United States Glass and River Coal preferred made good gains. July wheat drops over 2 cents.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair weather today and cloudy tomorrow are the predictions for Pittsburgh and vicinity furnished by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 42 and the minimum 30 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:46 and set cloudy at 6:20. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.85	38	73	N.E.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	20.13	31	65	N.W.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for March 10:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	42	53	Mean	36	40
Minimum	30	28	Precipitation	..	..
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	40		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.09	
Dfcy. for day	4		Dfcy. for day	.09	
Dfcy. since Mch. 1	23		Exc. since Mch. 1	.53	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	398		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	1.67	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday; Sunday, increasing cloudiness; fresh northwest winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Fair Saturday, probably rain or snow; fresh northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday; colder in the east portion; Sunday, partly cloudy.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	28	Clear	Cincinnati	44	Clear
Vicksburg	58	PtCldy	Kansas City	40	Clear
St. Louis	42	Clear	Indianapolis	40	Clear
Louisville	48	Clear	Washington	44	Clear
Abilene	58	Cloudy	Des Moines	26	Clear
Buffalo	18	Clear	Little Rock	58	Clear
Cleveland	24	Clear	Philadelphia	46	Clear
St. Paul	8	Clear	New York	40	Clear
Bismarck	14	Clear	Jacksonville	72	Clear
Salt Lake	56	Clear	Galveston	56	Cloudy

MIKADO'S ARMY IS IN MUKDEN

Shattered Force Under Kuropatkin Is Fleeing Toward Tie Pass.

FUSHUN IS TAKEN

Gen. Kuroki's Men Cut Off the Russian Retreat to the East.

SPOILS OF WAR ENORMOUS

HISTORIC BATTLE OF MUKDEN

Men engaged: Russians, 400,000; Japanese, 500,000.

Estimated losses: Russians, 100,000; Japanese, 60,000.

Situation according to latest advices: Japanese in possession of Mukden and Fushan, with all the Russian heavy artillery and practically all the enemy's stores and munitions.

Half, possibly more, of the remnants of the Russian army enclosed within the Japanese lines, the retreat of the remainder to Tie Pass, the nearest base, cut off.

Result: Russian military power in Manchuria hopelessly broken. Manchuria and Russian maritime provinces at the mercy of the Japanese and early peace on terms laid down by Japan inevitable.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, March 10.—The Japanese troops occupied Mukden at 10 o'clock this (Friday) morning. Fushun was occupied by the Japanese last night. The fighting continues on the heights north of Fushun.

Field Marshal Oyama telegraphs as follows, under today's date:

"We occupied Mukden at 10 o'clock this morning. Our surrounding movement, in which we have been engaged for some days past, has now completely succeeded. The fiercest fighting continues at several places in the vicinity of Mukden.

"We captured a great number of prisoners, enormous quantities of arms, ammunition, provisions and other war supplies. There is at present no time to investigate the number of these."

NIUCHWANG, March 10.—According to reliable information received here, the Russians, having been driven out of Mukden and Fushun, and, with the railroad cut, are retreating in a demoralized condition to the hill country toward the northeast. Detached bodies of Russians are roughly entrenching with a view to checking the pursuit, but no great rear guard action is being fought.

Kawamura Is Threatening.

It will be impossible for the Russians to keep up any sort of resistance for many days, as there are no means of provisioning in the rough country through which they are retreating. It is believed that the Russians may attempt to reach Kirin, 225 miles northeast of Mukden, through the valleys, but a special Japanese corps from the direction of the Yalu river (probably Gen. Kawamura's forces) threatens to cut them off.

Gen. Kuroki is advancing northwest and is forcing the Russians against Gen. Nogi's armies.

The casualties on both sides have been enormous. The Russian Sixteenth army corps was practically annihilated at Tatchekiao. Eight thousand Russians fell at Leukuanpeo.

The fate of the Russian army of upward of 250,000 men and the 200 pieces of artillery with which it was expected confidently Gen. Kuropatkin could prevent the advance of the Japanese beyond the Shakhe and Hun river positions, still is in the balance. They have been driven from those positions and now are rushing northward toward Tie pass, around which are high hills which were prepared for defense after the battle of Liao-Yang in September, there being no hope at that time that the Japanese would allow the defeated army to rest south of the Tie pass.

Huge Spoils of War.

That the Russians have lost many guns and large quantities of ammunition and supplies is certain, for with but a single track railway to the north, it would be impossible to remove the large stores which had been gathered together at Mukden. These, it seems certain, have been destroyed. The Japanese have not yet reported the capture of guns which they generally do almost immediately, but it is hardly likely that Kuropatkin could have removed all his artillery.

The result of Oyama's great turning movement depends almost entirely upon Kawamura's army, which has not not been located definitely, although supposed to be moving from the east toward Kuropatkin's line of retreat. Should he reach the military road, which runs almost in a direct line from Fushun to Tie pass, before the passage of the Russian army, the circle will be complete, as Nogi's guns already command the railway and should soon control the Mandarin road, which is but a short distance east of the railway and runs parallel with it.

The army of Gen. Kaulbars, which has been pressed back across the western plain, fighting every inch of ground, is moving northward to protect the line of retreat from the attacks from the westward, while Gen. Bilderling is protecting the rear against Gens. Oku and Nodzu, and Linevitch is doing his best to hold the military road against Kuroki. The appearance of Gen. Kawamura would render futile all their efforts.

Gen. Rennenkampff's force of somewhat less than 10,000, which has been operating on the extreme left, is in a precarious position, but the force is a mobile one and the officers know the mountains well. With the exception of this latter force, all the Russian troops are now concentrated on the railroads leading northward, and it may take another 24 hours before their fate is decided.

Losses Are Enormous.

The losses in the operations preceding the battle and those in the battle proper have reached enormous propor-

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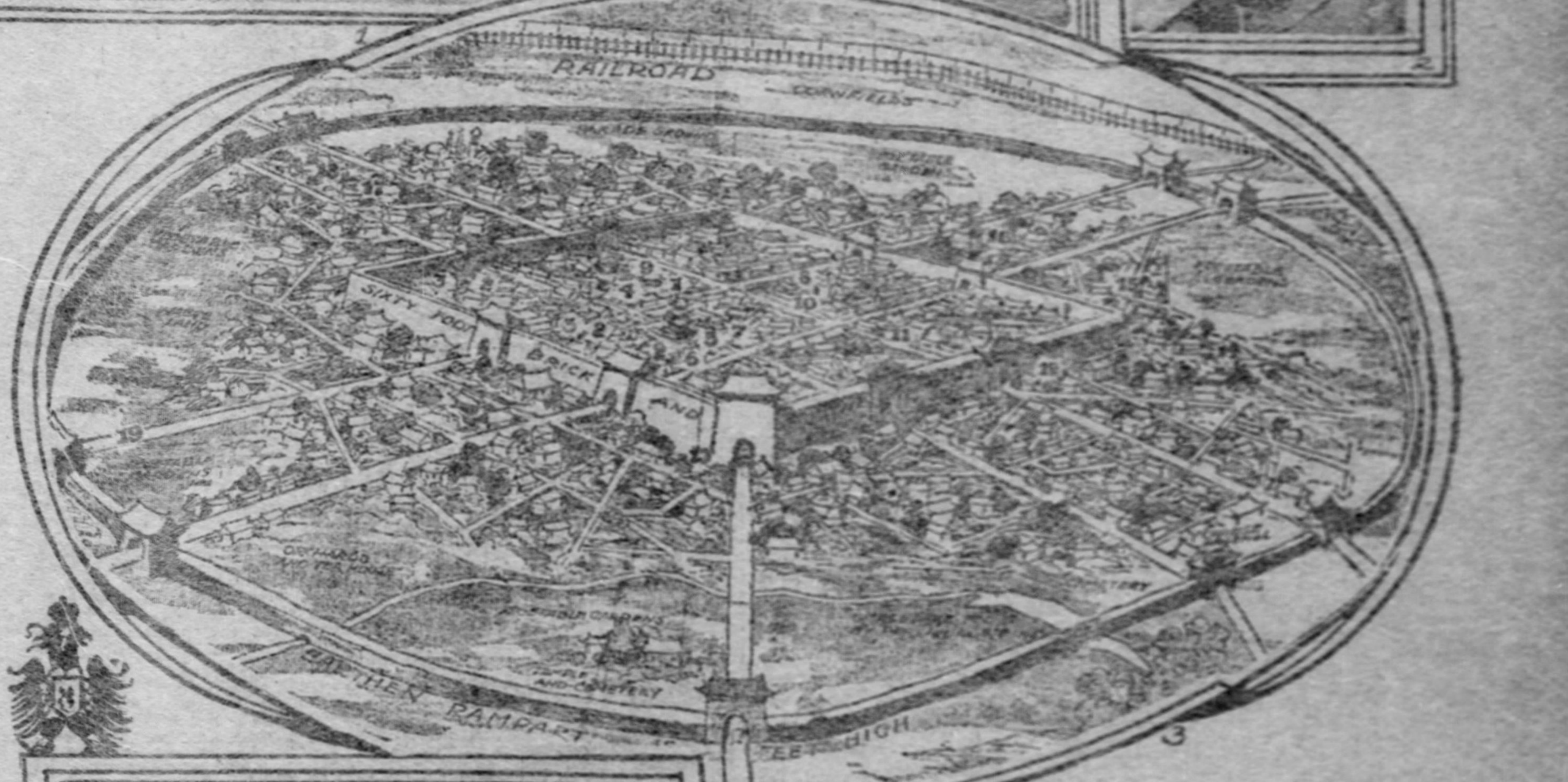
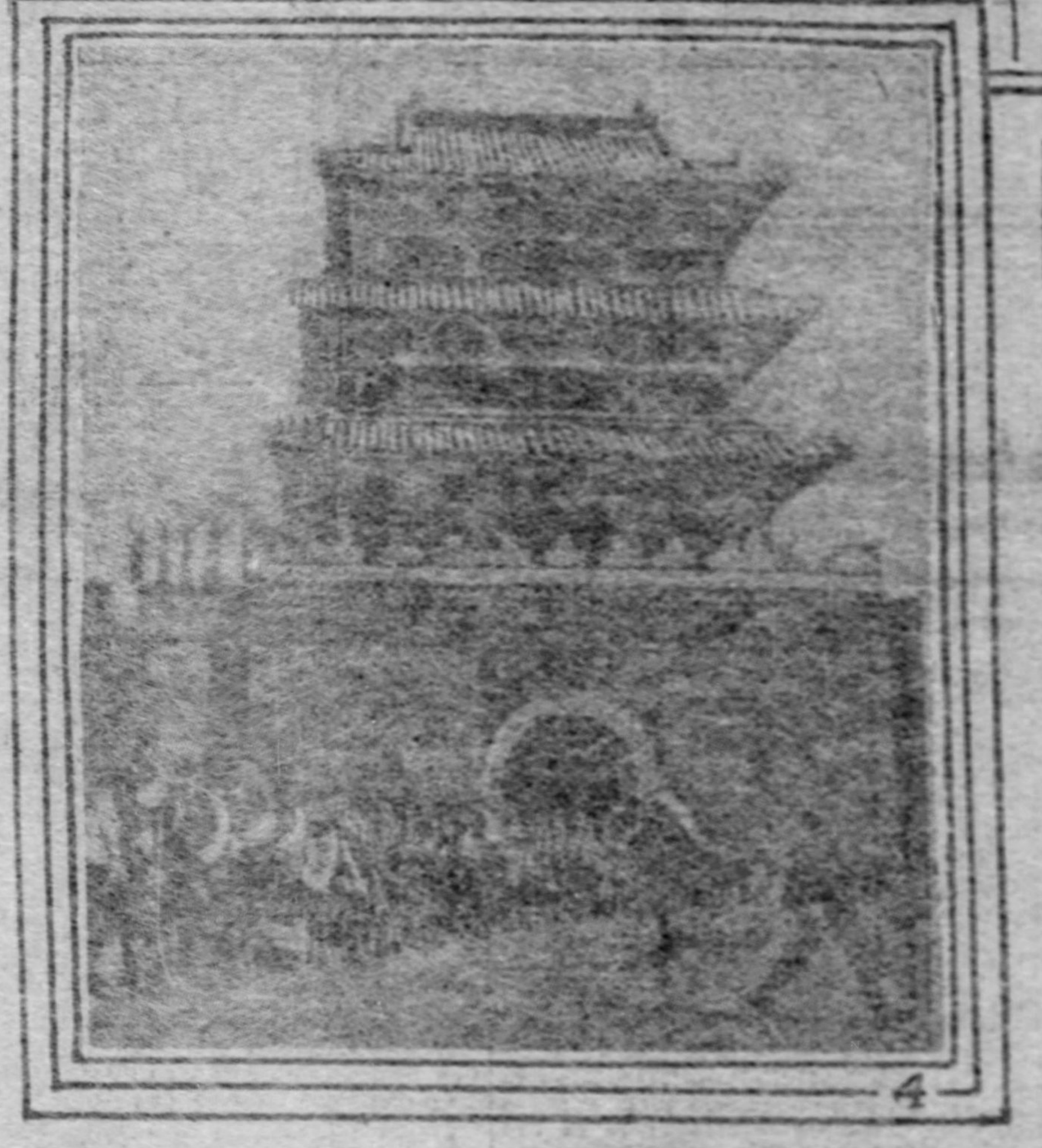
ANCIENT MANCHU CAPITAL THAT FELL BEFORE THE JAPANESE





1—Gen. Rennenkampff addressing the Cossacks.
2—Field Marshal Gen. Oyama, the brilliant leader of the Japanese.
3—Birdseye view of Mukden.
4—Russian reserves at the tombs of the Manchu emperors, near Mukden.

ARMY RETREATING BY THREE ROADS

Thus, It Is Reported, Runs Kuropatkin's Latest Telegram to the Emperor.

COUNCIL VOTES HIS RECALL

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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ST. PETERSBURG, March 10.—Gen. Kuropatkin's latest telegram to the emperor is as follows:

"I am retiring on Tie pass in three columns, the first along the railway, the second along the Mandarin road, the third along a road further east."

Pessimism reigns. A wave of anger rises up against Kuropatkin's conduct of the campaign, also for his action as minister of war in failing to keep the army ready for emergencies. The censorship at first allowed only the publication of an abbreviated telegram from the commanding general, according to which the Japanese were occupying fresh positions north of Mukden, increasing the danger of the Russian retreat being cut. Only late this evening came the not unexpected news that Mukden fell at 10 o'clock this morning.

It is stated Gen. Kuropatkin has escaped. Another report runs in the streets tonight, namely, that Kuropatkin surrendered with his entire army, showing the wildness of rumors consequent upon overstrung public feeling.

It is stated that as a result of a largely attended council of war Gen. Kuropatkin is to be recalled. Gen. Dragomiroff refused to vote, his known enmity to Kuropatkin preventing him.

It has been decided that Gens. Stoessel and Grippenberg will be tried by military court.

TRAINLOADS OF CANNONS WERE SENT TO TIE PASS

From March 3 to March 5 Kuropatkin Dispatched 1,200 Loaded Cars to Northern Point of Retreat.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 11.—(4:30 a. m.)—Up till this time no further dispatches of yesterday's date have reached St. Petersburg, the censors releasing, however, a belated dispatch dated Wednesday afternoon, giving details of the retirement to the Hun river. During the retirement on March 8 the Japanese did not press the Russian rear guards, and the columns reached the Hun positions practically unmolested. At dawn fighting began at several points northwest of Mukden.

Mukden was the scene of nervous uneasiness, shops being closed, hotels and restaurants ceasing to feed customers, Chinese painting over their signs, and business being at a standstill. At the station heavy artillery and wounded soldiers were being loaded on long trains, the overtaxed railroad and its operatives, who have been working uninterruptedly for 10 days, dispatching as best they could an average of 40 trains north daily. From March 3 to March 5 over 1,000 cars loaded with artillery and supplies were dispatched to Tie pass.

ZION CITY NEAR A CRISIS.

"Tithing" Rule Will Be Rigidly Enforced Upon Dowieites to Avoid Financial Disaster.

CHICAGO, March 10.—(Special.)—Zion City is on the verge of another financial crisis today and to avert threatened disaster the "tithing" rule, which has been voluntarily observed since Dowie organized his colony, will be rigidly enforced and collection begun.

Until the dark clouds pass over, every member of First Apostle's haven will be compelled to contribute a percentage of his wages. Refusal will mean dismissal from the ranks of the faithful and the loss of jobs to those employed in the various establishments within the gates of Zion.

Former Official Pleads Guilty.

UNIONTOWN, March 10.—(Special.)—Owen R. Brownsfield, ex-clerk to the county commissioners, who was charged with misappropriating $12,000 of the county funds while in office, waived presentation to the grand jury today and pleaded guilty.

Annihilated by Somalis.

MOMBASA, BRITISH EAST AFRICA, March 10.—It is reported that 9,000 Somalis have attacked the town of Merka on the Benadir coast and have annihilated the inhabitants.

Negro Dies Aged 104.

GREENSBURG, March 10.—(Special.)—Charles Gilmore, a negro of Mt. Pleasant, is dead, aged 104 years.

KEY TO THE PLAN OF MUKDEN.

1—Inclosure and buildings of imperial palace. 2—Granaries of the government of Southern Manchuria. 3—City and provincial prisons. 4—Imperial Chinese postoffice. 5—Treasury of Southern Manchuria. 6—Russo-Chinese bank. 7—Imperial pavilions. 8—Large drum tower. 9—Cattle market. 10—"Being Peace" street, rich and busy shops. 11. Fruit, vegetable and meat market. 12—Clothing market. 13—Coal, coke and lime markets. 14—Russian church and schools. 15—Residence of Chinese imperial ambassadors. Banks of great Shansi. 17—Residence of Russian diplomatic agents. 18—Road to Liao-Yang.

HON. JOHN DALZELL VISITS NEW ORLEANS

Says City Will Become Gateway for Pittsburgh—Going to Cuba.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 10.—Congressman John Dalzell, Mrs. Dalzell, Miss Bell of Pittsburgh, and Capt. George C. Reiter, U. S. N., of the lighthouse board, comprise a party on a tour of inspection of the lighthouses of this district, and are tonight on board the tender Armeria, preparatory to sailing for Mobile and Pensacola in the morning.

At Pensacola the ladies will return to the north by rail, while Capt. Reiter and Mr. Dalzell will go to Guantanamo, Cuba, to inspect the lighthouse situation there. Congressman Dalzell believes New Orleans is to become the gateway for Pittsburgh and all that territory, outrivaling New York. Said he:

"In a short space of time New Orleans will outrank every city in the United States in her exports. The opening of the canal will mean a great deal; all of the great wealth of the Mississippi Valley will come to New Orleans and be sent from here to different parts of the world through the canal and the Caribbean sea. The markets of the east will be supplied through New Orleans."

Kentuckians Will Surrender.

LEXINGTON, KY., March 10.—The Hargis brothers and Edward Hallahan, through their attorney, wired Judge Parker of the circuit court, which was today given jurisdiction over them by the appellate court, that they would arrive in Lexington Saturday morning to subject themselves to the court's order. They will have to go to jail.

Senate Doorkeeper Dead.

MANSFIELD, O., March 10.—Capt. D. W. Wilson died at Bellevue this afternoon of pneumonia, aged 65. He was an intimate friend of the late Senator John Sherman, and had served as doorkeeper in the United States senate for 30 years.

NEW YORK SUBWAY STRIKE IS BROKEN

Trains Run With Little Delay, Former Employes Going Back to Work.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 10.—Although the local leaders are continuing the fight, despite the fact that the national leaders have repudiated their action in calling the men out, the strike on the subway and elevated railway systems has passed the acute stage, and trains were run today with little delay, the strike-breakers quickly learning their new duties, while many of the old men were back in the positions which they left on Tuesday morning. There was no general rush back of the old employes, but the men slowly weakened and there was a steady stream passing into the company's office all day.

The officials were most descriminating, and while many of the guards and ticket sellers were taken back, few positions were found for the motormen, it being feared that some damage might be done to the company's property. This action, it was feared, would give the police something to do as the men who were refused work were in an ugly mood. Some 800 men in all were reinstated.

The company stated that not more than one-half of one per cent of the strikers would be re-engaged. In fact, late last evening there were only 400 vacancies to be filled, another 200 strikebreakers having arrived during the afternoon from Scranton and Wilkesbarre, Pa.

The Interborough company today decided to give to all employes who remained loyal during the strike two weeks' extra pay. A number of arrests were made during the way, the culprits being chiefly boys, for interfering with the running of cars by cutting bell cords and intimidating strike breakers.

Cardinal Satolli Recovered.

ROME, March 10.—Cardinal Satolli appeared at the vatican for the first time since his grave illness.

MAYOR SUSPENDS ALL POLICEMEN

New Force Installed at Huntington, W. Va., on the Eve of Municipal Primaries.

A BITTER POLITICAL FIGHT

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., March 10.—On the eve of the Republican city primaries, Mayor Charles M. Buck this afternoon suspended Chief of Police M. B. Davis, Lieut. Samuel Davis and the 12 officers comprising the police force, charging them with colonizing the Tenderloin districts with negroes and crooks to be used in fighting him at the primaries. He is a candidate for renomination. In the place of the department that he deposed he put an entirely new force. Samuel Belville, a justice of the peace, was sworn in as police chief and William McCallister, a former patrolman, as lieutenant.

The ousting of the old department came as the result of an investigation that has been progressing quietly for the last few days. Suspecting that non-residents were being brought into the city by the police for election purposes, Mayor Buck employed a number of private detectives, who covered the Tenderloin from end to end, counting the noses of the imported voters.

In their report made shortly before the suspension order was announced, the investigators said they found scores of illegal voters crowded into every nook and cranny of the district. In one house 32 negroes brought in from Virginia and Kentucky were found.

The newly appointed police department is tonight busily engaged in arresting those of the imported voters that have not taken fright at the mayor's action and fled. Negroes are being loaded into the city jail by the patrol wagonload. Disorderly houses, blind tigers and gambling joints that have been permitted to flourish by paying tribute to the old regime are being raided, their inmates arrested and their paraphernalia confiscated.

At one of the first meetings of the council elected with him, every vestige of power was legislated away from the mayor. Until the passage of a new charter bill three weeks ago Mayor Buck had no power other than that of presiding at meetings of the councils and exercising his right of suffrage in case of a deadlock. The control of the police department and the naming of councilmanic committees was taken away from him and put in the hands of the council itself.

The new charter became a law immediately after its passage by the legislature three weeks ago. Although framed by the same police ring that is now fighting Mayor Buck, a simple little clause in it giving him the power to suspend the entire police department was overlooked. Mayor Buck today took advantage of the error.

CRIPPLE FROM HAZING.

Victim of College Pranks Hobbled Into Court on Crutches and Had Warrants Issued.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—A helpless cripple from hazing, young Albert de Rome made his way into Police Judge Morgan's court on crutches today and swore out warrants for the arrest of the Hopkins art students who made him the victim of their sport.

Judge Morgan issued warrants for the arrest of the alleged leaders in the hazing. They are Jackson Hatch, Jr., A. P. Hunt and Curran C. Mattison, all students at the Hopkins Institute, where young De Rome, a fellow student, was hazed November 18 last. The charge against them is assault and battery.

KANSAS ALONE IN LAW FREAKS

The State Constitution Permits Any Kind of Legislation.

FARCE IN LAST DAYS

General Assembly Holds Final Sessions Simply to Keep the Record Straight.

SOME STRANGE OIL BILLS

[Special Telegram From ALFRED E. CRUM, Staff Correspondent.]

TOPEKA, KAS., March 10.—Here in Kansas the name of Pennsylvania is regarded as a synonym for legislative corruption—an evidence of the old adage that a lie travels farther and faster than the truth. The legislative methods of Pennsylvania are incomparably superior to those of Kansas. If there is more corruption—which may well be doubted—it is because the Kansas legislator is not rated worth the premium.

Kansas' constitution permits all kinds of local legislation. In this respect it is hardly equal to the old constitution of Pennsylvania, adopted in the forties. Not only does it permit local bills, but it requires a vast number of them. Thus a county or a city is not allowed to issue school bonds or to levy taxes for school purposes without a specific authorizing act passed by the legislature. Among the thousand bills introduced during this session, probably a majority were special acts with schools predominating.

Laws in Job Lots.

The legislative practice permits the collection of a number of bills into an "omnibus," as it is called. They are all passed together on one vote. The effect of this is to carry legislation that never could stand alone. When a questionable bill is to be got through it is put into an "omnibus" with a lot of school bills and other local measures. Naturally it frequently "happens" to get in among the bills promoted by members opposed to the general measure. These members, however, are compelled to vote for the "omnibus" or to vote against their own local bills. There are people in Pennsylvania who would probably be willing to pay money for the adoption of the "omnibus" system at Harrisburg.

Members of the Kansas legislature are paid $3 a day for 50 days. At the expiration of that time, their pay ceases. The session rarely extends beyond the 50-day limit. Why should it? This year is an exception to the rule. The 50 days expired Saturday, March 4, but the oil and gas bills had occupied so much time and senators were so eager to add another bunch of them that the session was extended. Many members protested against working at their own expense and a number of them went home on Saturday to prepare for the spring plowing. Some remained because [illegible] and some because they felt they were not losing anything even if the per diem was stopped. The hurry to get home forced the adoption of the resolution to quit legislating at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening and on Wednesday a majority of members of both houses had left for their homes. Perfunctory sessions composed of the officers, clerks and a few members were held to [illegible] communications from the governor.

The Kansas [illegible]

when the legislature adjourns are of no effect. They are as dead as if not passed, or vetoed. So a dozen men on each side of the state house keep up a pretense, for days, that they constitute quorums of house and senate, carefully avoiding roll calls so the shame shall not be officially discovered. These men may, by unanimous consent, pass laws. One could hardly imagine such a state of affairs in the old Keystone state, and it would certainly not be long tolerated.

There is an amount of confusion in the keeping of bills that would astonish the pasters and folders at Harrisburg. Each house has a document room where surplus copies of bills are kept, or supposed to be kept, but there is no certainty that any particular bill can be found there. The files of members and correspondents are frequently incomplete. One particularly broad gauge measure, if judged by its title, I could not find. There did not appear to be a printed copy in the capitol, but it appeared by title on the house calendar. The title described it as "an act authorizing township trustees to enforce all laws regulating oil and gas wells, pipe lines," etc. The bill did not pass, so it does not matter what its provisions may have been.

Laws That Slipped Through.

Some examples of the local legislation passed without comment and practically without notice, touch the all absorbing subject of oil and gas production. House bill No. 754 authorizes the county commissioners of Neosho county to drill a well or wells for the furnishing of the court house with fuel and lights, empowering the board to appropriate the necessary funds for the purpose.

Senate bill 204 authorizes the commissioners of Nemaha county to explore lands within the county for oil, gas, or minerals underneath the surface. It provides that whenever a petition signed by 500 resident taxpayers of the county shall be filed with the board of commissioners, praying for an eploration, the commissioners shall levy a tax for the purpose and proceed with the work. No limit is placed upon the tax levy or the amount to be expended and no suggestion is offered of a suitable location for beginning the experiment. If the commissioners have farms, as they probably have, they can have them tested at public expense. Nemaha county is in the northern tier, more than 100 miles from the nearest oil or gas well, and geologists do not regard it as promising territory. The energetic oil man has not selected it for "wildcat" ventures.

Senator Lost His Graft.

Another remarkable feature of the situation created by the general oil, gas and railroad legislation is the fact that the three senators active in having the bills passed have been engaged as counsel to prosecute suits under their provisions. They are, apparently, assured of a steady income for the remainder of the year, whether the laws are or are not sustained by the courts. One of the senators is quoted as regretting exceedingly the failure of the second batch of bills as, had they passed also, he felt sure he could have made a large amount of money from suits brought to enforce their provisions. I hesitate to name these senators in this connection, for they may not always remain as proud of their position as they now seem. Justices of the peace are apparently not the only officials who promote litigation for the sake of the fees.

I do not want to appear as underrating the Kansas legislature as a whole. I believe a vast majority of its present members are honest and some of them are particularly bright men. Many of them lack experience; some of them have obeyed the will of their constituents against their best judgment and the net product of the session is vastly better than might reasonably be expected where so much mischievous legislation was introduced, wearing various disguises of benefitting the public.

Some Men of Ability.

Conspicuous among the men of ability in the house are Speaker W. R. Stubbs of Douglas county, Speaker Pro Tem. Judge Clarke and Stephen Brandon, chairman of the congressional apportionment committee. Of Mr. Brandon, one of his neighbors, John Murdock, tells a story. Mr. Brandon is a native of eastern Tennessee. His family sympathized with the south during the war. When he was a lad of 12 years, a cavalry skirmish occurred near his home and a captain of the Union forces fell wounded. Young Brandon, his mother and sister picked up the injured man, did what they could to relieve his suffering and concealed him in the barn. The Confederates won the day and returned to secure the captain. He could not be found. Information was demanded at the Brandon home and denied. Threats availed nothing. The boy was seized and sentenced to be hung unless he would tell where the wounded man could be found. He was actually suspended three times and let down to have another chance to tell the secret and save his life.

PITTSBURGHER TESTIFIES IN THE OIL RATE HEARING

W. J. Young Says He Did Not Know of Freight Advance by the Santa Fe in Kansas.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDEPENDENCE, KAN., March 10.—The taking of testimony in proceedings brought in Sedan against the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad for alleged violation of the anti-trust law, began here today. John Aber of Moran said the Moran Gas and Crude Oil Company had built up a fuel oil trade in Kansas City but when the advance in railroad rates came last fall it was compelled to shut down its plant and to let its tank cars remain idle. He said the company owned two tank cars and that when they were in service the Missouri Pacific railroad paid mileage on them, but he could not say how much.

W. J. Young of Pittsburgh, Pa., president of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company, said he owned all except four shares of the stock of the company, the other shares being held by the directors. There has been issued by the company $2,500,000 of debenture bonds and these are held by the National Transit Company of Pennsylvania. He said he owned 100 shares in the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. He did not know there had been an advance in freight rates on crude petroleum last fall.

The Prairie Oil and Gas Company is the successor of the Forest Oil Company. The Forest Oil Company sold to the South Pennsylvania Company. Mr. Young did not know anything about the South Pennsylvania Oil Company except that it has an office in Pittsburgh, Pa.

ACTION AGAINST RAILROADS.

Oil Jobbers Bring Suit Claiming Discrimination in Rates to Eastern Points.

CLEVELAND, O., March 10.—The Fred G. Clark Company, jobbers in oil in this city, has brought suit against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, New York Central & Hudson River, Lehigh Valley, Boston & Maine, New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Delaware & Hudson railroad companies.

The Clark company alleges in its complaint that it is discriminated against in transportation rates on its oil from points on the Dunkirk, Allegheny Valley & Pittsburgh and the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroads, including Warren, Pa., and Cleveland to points on the New York, New Haven & Hartford, including Providence, R. I., and New Britain, Conn.

Verdict Against P. R. R. Company.

EBENSBURG, March 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Catherine Burns today was awarded a verdict for $12,570 against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the death of her husband, William Burns, killed on the Brownstown crossing at Johnstown in 1903.

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CZAR'S CAPITAL CRUSHED BY BLOW

Conviction Grows That the Entire Russian Rear Guard Has Been Sacrificed.

LIST OF SLAIN IS DREADED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 11.—"Last night all our armies commenced to retreat."

The greatest defeat in the history of the Russian-Japanese war was made known in St. Petersburg last night, but only in the paltry eight words from Gen. Kuropatkin to Emperor Nicholas, which were flung about the streets in newspaper extras and passed from mouth to mouth. Two thoughts formed instantly in the minds of every one, and two words were on every lip—surrender—peace—the former dreaded, the latter hoped for.

Gen. Kuropatkin is no maker of phrases; his words never are quoted like the famous "all is lost save honor," but his laconic messages hide more than probably any other two sentences in the literature of war. St. Petersburg knows nothing of the extent of the disaster, not even the lines of Kuropatkin's retreat; whether the route to Tie pass is still open, whether he is endeavoring to cut his way through to safety, or whether, as many of the pessimistic believe, he has taken to the mountains. If it be the latter, he will inevitably be hemmed in and starved into surrender, as Marshal Bazine was at Metz.

Rear Guard Sacrificed.

The dispatch has been studied as closely as ever was a text of scripture over which dogmaticians have wrestled, and from the words, "All our armies," the optimistic draw the deduction that the bulk of the Russian forces got away clear, the commander-in-chief sacrificing, however, the devoted rear guard, who flung themselves as prey to the Japanese reserves closing in on their trail; sacrificing also, it is conceded on every hand, the greater part of his heavy artillery, especially the siege guns, and enormous quantities of supplies and munitions.

Of the present situation of the army—whether it is utterly routed or merely beaten; of the proportion of Russian left in Japanese hands, or of the prospect of the escape of the remainder—St. Petersburg at this moment knows less than the smallest hamlet in America. Since the Mukden dispatch was filed at 5 o'clock Friday morning, no dispatches save the brief official announcement of the retreat have come from the Russian army, Gen. Kuropatkin's preceding dispatch, giving the last details as to the positions of the army having been written at 9 o'clock Thursday evening.

The members of the general staff, when asked for information, today said:

"We know nothing. We hope he will bring the army out safely, but we do not know how he will do it. We only know he has commenced to retreat."

All Discussing Peace.

Every one is now discussing peace, which many of the stanchest advocates of the war, bureaucrats and officers, now declare to be inevitable. It openly is bruited that Rojestvensky's fleet has been recalled and is now on the way homeward. The admiralty, when asked if the report were true, said:

"We don't know; call again tomorrow." The declined to comment on the significance of the cancellation of the purchase of colliers or the direction of Rojestvensky's voyage from Madagascar waters. It can be stated, however, that no overtures for peace yet have been made, and none are likely to be made for a few days, before the extent of the disaster has developed.

Aside from peace, defeat may bring other consequences in its train. That an enormous impetus has been given to the reform movement is plain even to the most reactionary conservatives, but the immediate result chiefly dreaded is the effect on internal disorders, not only in the capital, but also, since St. Petersburg is not Russia, upon the million of peasants in the vast agricultural regions, among whom the spirit of revolt now is incubating and already has hatched pillage and arson in a few districts. It is believed, however, the government is able to nip these uprisings in the bud and prevent the radicals from bringing off any more than demonstration and talk of revolution, aside from the peaceful revolution which has been under way in the last six months.

No Outward Demonstration.

Outwardly, St. Petersburg takes the defeat unconcernedly. A stranger in the streets would never know the armies defending the honor and prestige of Russia had just sustained a crushing reverse. There were no crowds last night, no demonstrations, no change from the ordinary street life. Newsboys were hawking extras on the streets—mere dodgers with three lines of Gen. Kuropatkin's dispatch; surrounded by wide margins of blank paper—but there was nothing to indicate that the extras were more important than those in which, for a year, Gen. Kuropatkin's dispatches have been issued.

The government made no attempt to palliate the shock or explain the significance of the retreat, but simply sent the dispatch, when it was issued by the general staff late in the evening, direct to the papers with authorization to print. At the clubs and in private houses, however, the situation was discussed and rediscussed, conjecture added to fact, and the invariable query was "What further?"

One circle of Liberals, on receiving the news, called for wine and solemnly pledged "New Russia." But generally the defeat cuts deeply and is keenly felt, especially by families represented in the endangered army. The spirit of unpatriotic exultation will do the Liberals no good at this time, as the defeat, which one Russian correspondent describes as "slaughter, not battle," entails the sacrifice of so many thousands of Russian lives that the people fear to count up their losses.

It is realized that in the fighting before Mukden was evacuated the death roll of the battle of Shakhe must have been far exceeded, and the streets of St. Petersburg, where every third woman wears crepe, will present a somber sight when the casualty lists arrive.

Fatal Quarrel Over 15 Cents.

WHEELING, W. VA., March 10.—(Special.)—"Sleepy" Jackson, a negro, was beaten to death by his life-long pal "Pie" Spindler, a negro, in a shanty east of the city today. The men were intoxicated and quarreled over 15 cents. Spindler then escaped, and is thought to be at Barton, O.

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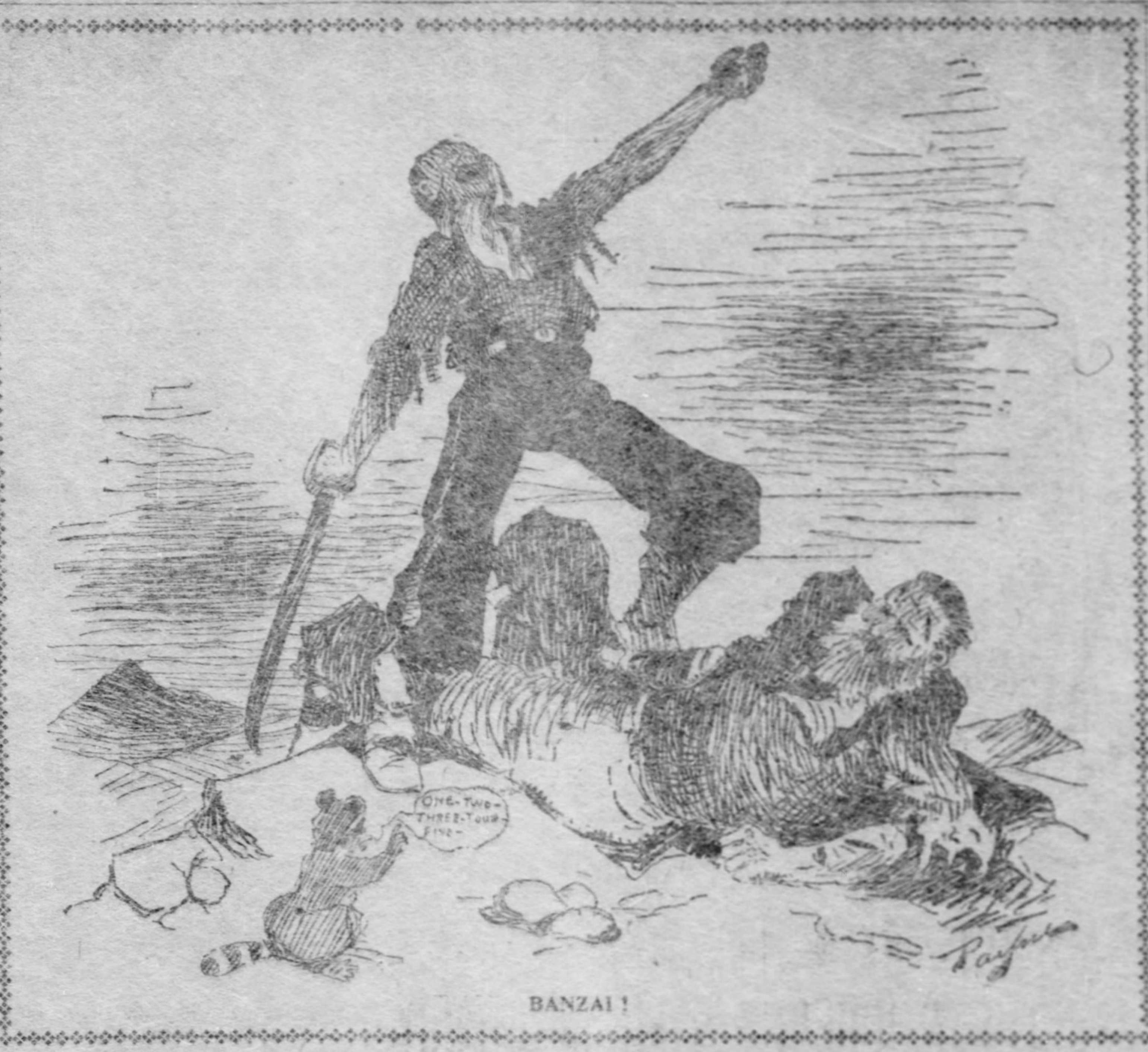

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BOLD ANARCHY IS TOLSTOI'S IDEAL

He Declares All Governments Unnecessary Evils and Urges Individual Freedom.

FIERCELY EXCORIATES WAR

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, March 10.—Count Tolstoi, in a letter to the Times, which will be published tomorrow morning, will say that he regards not only the Rusian government but all governments as "intricate institutions sanctified by tradition and custom for the purpose of committing violence and with impunity the most dreadful social crimes." He therefore thinks the efforts of those who wish to improve social life should be directed to the liberation of themselves "from the governments whose futility in these times is becoming more and more obvious."

This object, Tolstoi says, could only be attained by the unique means of religiously and morally perfecting separate individuals. The idea is prevalent that the evil accomplished by the "present particularly, cruel, stupid and deceitful Russian government," is due to the fact that the Russian government is not organized on the model of other existing governments which "are similar institutions for the committal of all kinds of crimes against their peoples." For the purpose of correcting this the people had used all the means at their disposal "imagining that an alteration of the external forms might alter the essence."

He Condemns Violence.

Such activity, Count Tolstoi says, is inexpedient and unreasonable in that the people assert rights which they do not have. Violent strife by "external means on the part of an insignificant handful of men against a powerful government defending its life is only comical from the point of view of the possibility of success, and piteous as regards the unfortunate misled individuals who perish in the unequal strife.

"The Russian government has no right to claims which do not appeal to the great mass of the people. One hundred million of the peasantry need nothing of these demands, their one desire and expectation being the liberation of the land from the law of property or common ownership of land—matters which are entirely ignored in liberal petitions and speeches and only incidentally alluded to in the revolutionary socialistic program."

Concerning the representation demands, Count Tolstoi says:

"The people in great mass still believe in autocracy both by reason of inertia and because they think that only through autocracy and through the czar can they attain this communalisation of land. The present activity is pernicious because it distracts the people for the moral perfection of separate individuals, whereby only can be obtained the objects toward which those who are fighting the government are striving.

"One cannot participate in political action, which draws the people into intrigue, subterfuge, strife and spite extending to murder. Political action not only fails to contribute to the liberation of men from the violence of government, but on the contrary renders the people more incapable of that vigor which only can liberate them.

"Light-minded people, judging superficially, especially those upset by the butchery in St. Petersburg, thought the chief cause of those events lay in the despotism of the government; and if the autocratic monarchical form of the Russian government is replaced by a constitutional or republican one, then such events could not be repeated.

"But the chief calamity from which the Russian people are suffering is not St. Petersburg events, but the reckless, disgraceful, cruel war instigated by a score of immoral individuals. The war, which already has destroyed hundreds of thousands of Russians, imposes an enormous tax upon the labor of future generations. That which took place in St. Petersburg January 22 is nothing in comparison to what is taking place in Manchuria.

Even Condemns America.

In conclusion Count Tolstoi says that in America, France, Germany, Japan and England the pernicious character of the governments is so marked that those belonging to those nations point to events in Russia and naively imagine what is done in Russia is done only in Russia, while they enjoy complete freedom and need no improvement of their positions.

"But," he adds, "they are in the most hopeless state of slavery—the slavery of slaves who do not understand that they are slaves and pride themselves on their position as slaves. The fact is that every coercive government in the essence is a great and unnecessary evil. Therefore the aim both of the Russians and of all men should not be to replace one form of government by another, but to free themselves from every government and abolish it."

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Mme. Schumann-Heink, in "Love's Lottery," new comic opera, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—Robert Mantell, supported by the Harry Davis stock company, in "Hamlet," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Papinta, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—Avenue dramatic company in "The Stowaway," 2 and 8 p. m.

GAYETY—Joseph Hart and Carrie DeMar in "Mamma's Papa," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—James J. Corbett in "Pals," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Thomas E. Shea in "Banished by the King," 2:15 p. m., and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"A Chinese Honeymoon," 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Brigadier Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating and music, afternoon and evening. Hockey tonight. Klondikers vs. P. A. C.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Last concert of the season by Pittsburgh orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor, assisted by Madame Gadski, 2:15 p. m.

OLD CITY HALL—Duquesne Kennel club's annual dog show; performing dogs, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

JAPAN'S ARMY IN MUKDEN

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tions, but up to the present, neither side has attempted an estimate. They will exceed the Shakhe losses, in which the Russians alone lost in killed and wounded and missing 67,000 men.

Field Marshal Oyama arranged his attack so that the Chinese city of Mukden should not come within the range of battle, rather an easy task, as the Russians had no positions immediately around the city, as was the case at Liao Yang, and the Russian town is two miles from the outer walls of the old city. The western imperial tombs were under shell fire, but no account has been given of the damage, if any, that they suffered. The eastern tombs, around which the Russians had erected positions, apparently did not come within the range of the Japanese shells.

NO TIME FOR JAPAN TO SPEAK OF PEACE NOW

Count Katsura Declares When Russia Is Ready to Negotiate, Victors Will Be Ready to Meet Her.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, March 10.—"It is not for us to speak of peace now," Count Katsura said today after the news of the capture of Mukden had been received.

"When Russia is ready to open negotiations," continued the statesman, "she will find Japan prepared to meet her."

This may be assumed as the attitude of the Japanese government. The news of the splendid and complete victory gained by Oyama, the outlines of which are briefly told in the official dispatches from headquarters, has set the Japanese capital ablaze with enthusiastic joy.

The suggestion from Russian sources that the remnants of the Russian army will make its way to Kirin is ridiculed here. The Japanese army which has been mobilized in Northeastern Korea and Southeastern Manchuria will be able to reach Kirin as soon as the Russians, admitting that they intend to make for that point.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, March 10.

Hamburg—Abydos from San Francisco via Central and South American ports.

Plymouth—Bluecher from New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg, and proceeded.

Liverpool—Haverford from Philadelphia.

Naples—Weimar from New York for Genoa, and proceeded.

Liverpool—Baltic from New York.

Glasgow—Siberian from Philadelphia.

Hamburg—Graf Waldersee from New York via Dover.

Liverpool—Cymric from Boston.

Genoa—Republic from New York via St. Michaels and Algiers.

Sailed, March 10.

Ponta Delgada—Koenig Albert from New York for Gibraltar, Naples and Genoa.

Genoa (March 7)—Citta di Regio for New York.

Liverpool—Oceanic for New York.

Copenhagen—[illegible] for New York.

Moville—Tunisian from Liverpool for St. John, N. B.

Passed, March 10.

Butt of Lewis—United States from New York for Christiansand and Copenhagen.

Browhead—[illegible] from New York for Liverpool.

Gibraltar—Perugia from New York for Naples, Leghorn and Genoa.

Scilly—[illegible] from New York for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg.

RUSSIA WILL NOT BE COWED BY HER DEFEAT

Britain Believes Disaster Will Only Serve to Inflame Slavs' Fighting Spirit.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, March 11.—The announcement of the fall of Mukden was discounted in London by the reports chronicling the progress of the great battle. Few who are well informed are inclined to the belief that Oyama's magnificent victory and successful strategy would bring peace within measurable distance, the opinion being that while the Russian fighting force is disabled and probably will be obliged to retire farther than Tie pass, or even Harbin, the fighting spirit of the Russian nation would be increased rather than decreased by the defeat, and that only compulsion will bring the nation to its knees.

Baron Suyematsu, formerly Japanese minister of the interior, said today that whether the victory indicated an early termination of the war was a question that Russia alone could answer. The Japanese legation has been inundated with congratulations, and everywhere the prime note was praise of the genius of Oyama.

Discussing the possibilities of peace, and of Russia being cowed by the great defeat, The Spectator thinks that "despite historic precedents it does not follow the emperor will make peace. He is credited with saying it is only necessary to retire behind Baikal, refuse peace and rebuild the forces till he is again ready for aggressive action; and he may well consider this course preferable to the inexplicable shame of being beaten by an Asiatic nation, and the possible dangers to his dynasty involved in making peace on the hard terms Japan is likely to demand."

According to the Daily Graphic, peace overtures have already practically commenced, the emperor's readiness to negotiate having been intimated to the French government and communications having passed between the British and French governments with a view to Great Britain opening communications with Japan. The Graphic declares the decision is due not only to the defeat of Kuropatkin but also to the almost insurmountable difficulties Russia met in the last attempt to negotiate a loan in Paris.

According to one report, Kuropatkin's last dispatch was sent from Tie pass, and he will almost immediately transfer his quarters to Harbin.

The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent asserts that the Russians were completely ignorant of the movements of the Japanese, and that the appearance of the latter in the Sinmintin district was a complete surprise. Kuropatkin's disaster, the correspondent adds, was largely due to an inefficient intelligence department.

First See of Russia Has Better General.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 11.—The Russ this morning strikes a stirring note, not minimizing the extent of the defeat in Manchuria, but bidding the people not [illegible]. Its whole thought is [illegible] emperor's determination to continue the war. [illegible] even demand Gen. Kuropatkin's recall, but says it is first necessary to determine whether Russia has a better general.

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GERMAN GENERAL LAUDS GENIUS OF JAPAN'S ARMS

Baron Von Gayl Declares Victory of Island Empire Is Phenomenal in the World's History.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, March 10.—Lieut.-Gen. Baron von Gayl, Count von Waldersee's second in command in the China expedition, took occasion at a meeting of the German Asiatic society tonight to express boundless admiration of Japanese military genius. His remarks were called out by a paper on "The Yellow Danger," in which the writer had pointed out Germany's precarious situation in China if the Japanese should form a rapprochement with China and reorganize an army on Japanese lines.

"What that island people accomplished in the past few days," said Gen. von Gayl, "merits the highest astonishment. It was absolutely a phenomenal achievement, considering the fearless, brave opponent that the Japanese army brought to this pass. The leadership was that of genius, and words for the bravery and devotion of the troops are hard to find."

Referring to fears that China will now engage Japanese military instructors, Gen. von Gayl said: "I know not where they can get better ones than among the officers who captured Mukden."

EIGHT KILLED BY BOMB.

Anarchists in St. Petersburg Evidently Victims of Explosive They Intended to Use.

LONDON, March 11.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs as follows:

"At 4 o'clock this (Saturday) morning an explosion in the center of the city at Vosnacrensky Prospect and Bolchoi Morskaia, facing the Isaac cathedral, blew out the interior of an apartment house, killing four men and four women. It undoubtedly was the accidental explosion of an anarchist bomb, killing those who intended to use it."

CZAR SENDS FOR FORMER MINISTER TO JAPAN

COPENHAGEN, March 10.—The Russian minister to Denmark, M. Iswolsky, starts tonight for St. Petersburg. The authorities there desire to have the benefit of his knowledge of Japan, gained while he was minister at Tokyo.

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Tombs of Mukden's Ancient Dynasty Are Said to Hold Vast Treasures.

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Mukden is the capital of Liaotung, one of the three provinces of Manchuria. It is situated on the Hun, about 500 miles northeast of Pekin, and is the cradle of the Manchu race, which has given the present dynasty to the throne of China.

It is significant of the decay of Manchu influence even here that the city was until recently generally known by its old Chinese name of Shenyang, its Manchu name of Mukden—or "Flourishing Capital"—given to it by its Manchu conqueror nearly 200 years ago, being used only in official documents. It is a hustling, thriving city of 200,000 inhabitants, and it has a long, intimate connection with the most cherished associations of the Manchu people. In its neighborhood lie buried the first emperors of the imperial line, and in its treasury has been stored up the gigantic wealth accumulated by succeeding emperors.

City Strongly Defended.

The city is strongly defended. A recent traveler has described its fortifications as "really magnificent." They are laid out in regular parallelograms between one and two miles each way, the walls being built of squared stone or brick, thick and massive at the base, and tapering gradually at the top.

They are 40 feet in height, 21 in width and are protected at the top by an eight-foot crenellated parapet, or "women's wall," as the Chinese call it. At regular intervals thick buttresses break the monotony of the long line of masonry. A flanking tower stands at each corner, and in the sides are lofty fortified gateways, surmounted by picturesque pavilions, or watch towers, several stories high.

Outside these walls there is a wide moat, and then comes the suburbs, which extend for a mile or more on all sides. These again are inclosed by walls, which, however, are constructed of mud and are of little value.

Ancient Manchu Palace.

In the heart of the town is an inner wall, within which is a small palace. This palace is the holy of holies of Mukden. Beyond the fact that the walls and roofs are covered with tiles of imperial yellow little is known about this secluded building, as entrance to it is absolutely denied to all but Manchus. It is said to contain some interesting relics of Nurhachu, the great ancestor of the Manchus, who is canonized under the title of Tai Tsu, and who, having captured the town of Shenyang, changed its name, as already related, to Mukden, and there established his seat of government.

According to one story Nurhachu was supernaturally born, and throughout his career displayed all the attributes of his divine origin. But according to another legend he first entered the city, which he was destined to rule, in the character of a humble pedler, with a pack on his back, and this pack, with the boots worn by the pedler are commonly reported to be preserved as sacred relics within the precincts of the palace.

The Imperial Tombs.

When Nurhachu died in his 68th year he was buried with all the paraphernalia of woe at the Fu-ling, or "Happy Tomb," situated in a pine grove, which is deemed even more sacred than the city itself, and which stands four or five miles east of its walls. At the entrance to this sacred enclosure stands a funeral hall, to which admittance is gained by a gateway of handsome construction. Three doors pierce this massive structure, which is surmounted by a richly decorated roof, tiled, as is the wall which surrounds the whole enclosure, with copings of the imperial yellow color. The walls are ornamented with bas reliefs in green majolica, representing huge imperial, five-clawed dragons.

"The road up to the gate," says a recent writer, "passes first between two lofty pailous (or honorary gateways) of massive carved stone, the bases of the columns being carved into the likeness of frogs. Beyond are two pillars, each with a lion on the top; and, finally, two noble couchant lions guard the sacred portal. To the center of each door is affixed a huge, quaint knocker of copper, once richly gilt, representing a bull's head of the same size and character of the large knocker of Durham cathedral." So sacred is this enclosure considered that death is the punishment of any one entering who is not of the same race as the "great ancestor."

Sepulcher of Tai Tsung.

Contrary to the Chinese custom, the son and successor of Nurhachu was not buried with his father, but lies in the Pei-ling, or northern tomb, amid a deep grove of cedars to the north of the city. Buildings of a similarly handsome nature mark the entrance to this last resting place of Tai Tsung. The upturned yellow roofs are upheld by richly carved wooden supports, while the tracery on the stone face is rich and of high artistic merit.

Some distance in front of this noble structure stand two huge stone slabs, resting on the backs of tortoises, on which are carved in Manchu and Chinese directions for travelers to dismount from their horses lest the ashes of the great man should be disturbed by the clank of hoofs.

Other interesting relics of the past in the environs of the city are the temple of heaven and the temple of earth, both of which were built by Tai Tsung, and the remains of which are still to be seen.

Vast Hidden Treasure.

The peddler's pack and boots are not the only objects believed to be guarded in the palace of Mukden. Enormous wealth, accumulated by the successive emperors of the Ming dynasty, is said to be hidden within its walls. Should this prove to be the case, the robbery has been conducted on a stupendous scale. It has been the custom of the court since the inauguration of the present dynasty to send every year to Mukden 6,000,000 taels to be stored, and, calculating at this rate, the treasure must have reached the sum of 1,200,000,000 taels by this time, for the reign of the present dynasty over a vast territory of 400 provinces dates back to 200 years ago.

Like all the cities of Manchuria, Mukden is laid out on a regular plan, which reminds one of the arrangements of American towns. The main street runs due north and south and the second best crosses it at right angles, while parallel to these run a series of alleys teeming with an industrious population. Almost all the houses are one storied, the better class constructed of gray brick, faced and corniced with slabs and tiles of the same material, which are sometimes beautifully carved. The Chinese have little variety in their architecture, and the uniformity of the stiff, commonplace rectangular patterns of the houses in Mukden render the city somewhat monotonous. This, however, is relieved by the ever moving traffic and bustle of the city and the variety of its shops.

Great Missionary Center.

As the chief market of the province and the center of a large distributing trade, all kinds of native produce are poured into its warehouses. Foreign manufactures are also imported in respectable quantities. One recent traveler noticed dealers in Russian cloth, Manchester goods, English iron and Swiss watches, while fur shops, full of fine skins and fur garments, are found in great numbers in the great east and west streets.

Manchuria has been a flourishing center of missionary activity, and not a few evidences of it are afforded in Mukden itself. The Roman Catholics, who began their propaganda early in the 17th century, have a pretty church and an orphanage in the city. The Irish and Scotch Presbyterian missionaries laboring in the same field number a round half dozen. There is a medical mission, which was conducted with remarkable success by Dr. Christie, and which combines preaching the gospel with healing the sick. In one year upward of 10,000 out patient visits were made to the dispensary connected with the mission, over 100 patients were received, 250 operations of different kinds were performed, and many visits paid to sick people in the town.

Among other missionary establishments in Mukden are a girls' school and a boys' school, a boarding school for daughters of members of the Presbyterian church and a hospital for women. Attached to the chapel is a book shop where scientific works are much in request. The natives of Mukden have literary tastes of a very pronounced order, which is probably one of the signs of the decadence of the old martial spirit of the Manchus.

Is a City of Mosques.

Mukden has also many mosques, for large numbers of the Manchurians are followers of Islam and seemingly quite devout. The mosques are very neat and resemble on the interior the small ones of Alexandria and Cairo. Their exterior is extremely unpretentious and seldom marked by an architectural beauty whatever. The temples are very much handsomer and are of all sorts of designs. There are those belonging to the Confucians, the Buddhists, the Taoists and two to the Shinto sect. The religion is quite as anthropomorphic as those in the tropics. There is a superabundance of gods and demi-gods, but the Buddhistic preponderate much more than further south.

The viceroy lives in the inner city, as do all the other high officials, courtiers and retinue. In fact, it may be said that the vice regal court was almost as brilliant and extensive as the courts of many European nations. There was a heavy garrison maintained in the place numbering seldom less than 5,000 soldiers, of whom 2,000 were cavalry and the rest infantry.

Is 3,000 Years Old.

Around the city are fertile plains broken by two streams, affluents of the Liao-Ho, which flows from this part of Shing-King past the city of Niuchwang into the gulf of Liao-Tung.

The climate is hot in summer and very cold in winter. At various seasons there are violent sandstorms, which blind both man and beast. The soil in the valleys is very fertile and supplies enough food for the resident population and large amounts for transport to less favored districts.

The city is very old, and is said to have existed on its present site 3,000 years but it never amounted to much until the Manchu kings made it their capital, in 1630. Since then vast sums of money have been spent upon it and have transformed it into a very handsome, if not elegant municipality.

The people are about two-fifths Manchu and three-fifths Chinese. They live on friendly terms and are comparatively homogenous. They are taller, stronger, handsomer and better built than the Cantonese. They eat much more meat than do the latter and also use more intoxicants. It was from this part of China, it is said, that civilization obtained the art of brewing koumyss. There was quite a trade done in dried and smoked meats in this part of the empire. Large quantities of beef tongues were constantly exported from the seaport of Niuchwang, and the thrifty Manchu includes among them the smoked tongues of jackasses, horses, mules and buffaloes. The city also had an immense trade in furs, no less than 30 varieties of animals, wild and domesticated, being utilized in this manner.

GERMANS NOT SURPRISED AT KUROPATKIN'S FATE

Military Circles Had Long Ago Held His Tactics Greatly Inferior to Those of the Japanese.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, March 10.—Little surprise is felt here among army officers at the news that the Russians have met with a disastrous defeat at Mukden. The feeling in military circles has been for a long time that the Russians were so far below the Japanese in aggressive generalship that from the very beginnig of the present campaign the question has not been whether or not Kuropatkin would be defeated, but how badly he would be defeated.

It is the almost universal opinion that the present fighting will practically end the war and it is simply a question of time when Russia will have to accept peace on whatever terms Japan is willing to extend. There is some talk of an effort on the part of Germany to have the powers intervene and insist that the victors shall not impose too hard conditions.

Other governments have been sounded on this subject already by Berlin, but it has met with little encouragement. France would be willing to join in the movement, but in view of the strong probability that Japan would resent such interference to the extent of the fighting if necessary, and that in no case would Great Britain be a party to it, the judgment of diplomas is that the idea of European intervention may be dismissed, and that Russian and Japan will settle peace terms by themselves.

RUSSIA INTENDS NO MENACE AGAINST INDIA

ST. PETERSBURG, March 10.—Russian officials declare the dispatch of Russian troops and guns to the Afghan border constitutes absolutely no threat against India. They are sent largely to replace units withdrawn from Russian Turkestan for service in the far east, also because Japanese emissaries in Afghanistan had been stirring up the Afghans' hostility against Russia.

RUSSIAN SQUADRON IS CLOGGED WITH SEAWEED

PARIS, March 10.—A dispatch from Durbin says the captain of a cruiser which has arrived there from Nossi Be island, off the coast of Madagascar, where the Russian warships arrived February 3, reports that the warships are so covered with seaweed he does not think it possible for them to proceed. The squadron has 70,000 tons of coal.

BRITISH STEAMER IS ADJUDGED A PRIZE

NAGASAKI, JAPAN, March 10.—The British steamer King Arthur, captured by the Japanese on December 19, last, while attempting to leave Port Arthur with Russian officers on board, has been confiscated by the prize court at Sasebo for violating the blockade of Port Arthur, subject to an appeal to Tokyo.

Caruso in Pittsburgh on Monday.

The farewell season of grand opera by the Conried Metropolitan Grand Opera Company begins at the Nixon on Monday night next, March 13, with "Lucia di Lammermoor." Caruso and Sembrich are to be the principal stars. Sale of seats now going on at the store of S. Hamilton Company, 531 Wood st.

The Boston Herald says of Caruso: "When Caruso sings the only thought of the hearer is that of a wonderfully beautiful voice, at once persuasive, caressing and wooing like unto the notes of that instrument heard by the woman in Cuzco, who said to the Spanish soldier who would fain have detained her in the street: 'For the sake of the Lord, sir, let me go, for that flute in yonder tower is calling me with such passion and tenderness that I cannot refuse the summons of him who plays it.'"

KUROPATKIN RECEIVING A MESSAGE FROM THE FRONT

GEN. KUROPATKIN OUTNUMBERED

Washington Military Men Believe His Force Was 125,000 to 175,000 Japanese.

EXPECT FIGHT AT TIE PASS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 19, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10.

That Gen. Kuropatkin was outnumbered by the Japanese at Mukden, and that his defeat was due in part at least to the inferiority of his line of communication to Harbin, is the most interesting view taken here by prominent army officers who have studied the Manchurian campaign.

The Japanese flanks were so far extended in either direction that it was thought in Washington several days ago Gen. Oyama must have seriously weakened his center. But Gen. Kuropatkin assailed the Japanese center, and, instead of finding it weak, found it exceptionally strong, an indication that the Japanese must have a great many more men on the fighting line than has hitherto been believed.

The war department has received from its attaches in Manchuria reports that there were 280,000 Russian soldiers south of Harbin, but that so many men were engaged in the battle at Mukden is doubted. The belief is expressed that the Japanese had from 175,000 to 200,000 men, and that the Russian army was about 125,000 strong.

That the Russian commander should have fought this battle, remaining constantly on the defense with only an occasional counter attack, is deemed indicative of weakness of the Russian numbers and inferiority of their line of supplies. American officers have always questioned the efficiency of that single-track railroad. Basing their opinion on dispatches from the far east they believe that much-needed reinforcements for Kuropatkin were not provided, and that it was impossible for the slender line of communication to provide fresh supplies in sufficient quantity to meet the needs of his exhausted regiments.

The Japanese are known to have maintained their short line of communication from the southward in most excellent manner. Their reinforcements, all close at hand, have been used to promptly fill up the gaps caused by battle in every company. The companies are recruited to a strength of 205 men at every opportunity.

Officers of the general staff look for the next battle to occur at Tie pass, where, it is believed, Gen. Kuropatkin may be able to establish himself. The Russian leader's position at Mukden was without natural defense, the battle having been fought on the plain, but Tie pass is on the hills, and the Russian center at least will be impregnable, so the hope of the Japanese victory is to turn the Russians out by successful flanking moves. As the campaign shifts northward the Japanese lines of communication grows longer and the Russian line shorter. This is here regarded as an important factor in the forthcoming operations.

No Sympathy from Austria.

VIENNA, March 10.—The Viennese Press, commenting upon the occupation of Mukden by the Japanese, shows no note of sympathy with Russia, but on the contrary seems eager to grasp the opportunity to relate "Russia's crushing catastrophe and complete rout."

HAND OF NATURE LIFTED IN MERCY

Blinding Dust Storm Gave Fighting Armies Respite for a Few Hours.

RED CROSS WAS UNDER FIRE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MUKDEN, March 9.—(Midnight.)—Nature today raised her hand against the frightful slaughter west and northwest of Mukden, the hurricane of wind, which has been raging since morning, having raised a blinding dust storm upon the broad, flat Liao river valley in which it was impossible at times to see at a distance of 200 paces. Unable to distinguish objectives, both armies necessarily ceased to a large extent their artillery and rifle fire, and a strange boding quiet reigned along the western and northern fronts.

There is strong reason to believe that the Japanese columns spent the day in an unintermittent movement northward to occupy positions for a still more vigorous attack on the railroad the minute the storm clears. The lines held by the Japanese yesterday west and north were as follows:

Beginning at the village of Suhetun on the Hun river and running north through the village of Lifuyantun, six miles west of Mukden railroad station to Taichekiao, thence turning northeast along the valley of the Pu river to the village of Taudyatun, nine miles north-northeast of Mukden and six miles west of the railroad and thence continuing generally northward toward Tie pass. In places the Japanese bent their lines sharply inward, as at the imperial tombs, which their shells are reaching, and where the railroad turns eastward. One small body of Japanese crossed the railroad to the east of the line.

Behind this screen columns of Japanese were moving north, one after the other, and the evacuation of Mukden became imperative. All day long military trains were departing northward, and the railroad line was closed to civilian and passenger traffic. Both the railroad and telegraph lines were several times damaged by Japanese shells.

The Red Cross nurses and surgeons distinguished themselves by working under fire, and a regiment of the Imperial Rifles fought with indescribable valor. The double eagle on top of the standard of this regiment was carried away by a shell and should, it is claimed here, be replaced by a St. George's cross, which every survivor earned.

Diushantun, about six miles west of Mukden, was the scene yesterday of the bloodiest and most desperate fighting of all this terrible battle. Its possession was vital to the Japanese, who stormed it again and again. The Russians dislodged them, but the Japanese finally recaptured the village after hand-to-hand fighting.

Eye-witnesses say the dead scattered in the streets, court yards and houses have been unburied for four days. Rifles and other arms lay about, wrenched and twisted. Hand grenades were thrown by the Japanese, and the garrison was subjected to the concentrated fire of as many as 100 guns. Diushantun in their hands, the Japanese can train guns on Mukden railroad station and it has been held at a frightful cost.

Free Money and Situation
In The Sunday Gazette tomorrow.

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60 patterns best quality Tapestry Brussels, 85c a yard.
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Saturday, March 11, 1905.

Several New Lines of Men's Belongings

In the Haberdashery, gentlemen, we have this morning a number of new lines awaiting an introduction. It is a sort of sneaking satisfaction to us to be able to present to you first the new things as they come out. We go direct to Paris and London for our styles, therefore we are always able to show the newest and most exclusive articles that number among the belongings of men.

Spring Negligee Shirts:

Our collection of ready-to-wear shirts includes the well-known makes of Manhattan, Star, Staghead, Earl & Wilson, as well as Paris-made and our own make of shirts. With such an assortment from which to choose the man must indeed be fastidious who cannot find something to please.

The styles are plain and pleated bosoms, either attached or detached cuffs. The materials madras, cheviot, batiste, Scotch novelties, silk novelties and corded zephyrs.

Prices range from $1.00 to $4.50 each.

Spring Pajamas:

The average man has certainly taken kindly to pajamas as a slumber outfit. As the case stands the man who has once worn them will never consent to go back to the old-fashioned nightshirt.

Of plain white, striped or figured madras, military collar, pearl buttons, $1.00.

Of white cheviot, striped or figured madras, white cambric and white madras, with neat edge trimmings, $1.50.

Of white madras, plain or self striped or figured madras, trimmed edges, $1.75.

Of white cambric, striped or figured madras, or novelties, $2.00.

Other and finer styles from $2.50 to $12.00 a suit. At these prices there are pajamas of silk and linen mixtures and all silk.

Spring Neckwear:

The Spring styles in men's neckwear tend to rich though by no means loud tones. New shades of purple, olive and delicate grays are seen—warm browns, greens, etc. The Four-in-Hands are more sought than any other styles, and are shown 2, 2½ and 2¾ inches wide.

Our collection of 50c Neckwear is really remarkable, not only in point of variety, but as to the qualities that are offered for that price.

At $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 finer Scarfs made of the very best materials.

Spring Gloves:

Our $1.00 Walking Gloves for men are not to be surpassed for quality, fit or service anywhere. It is a splendid glove, cut after an English style and shown in all the prevailing colors.

Every man who likes to wear neat gloves and who objects to paying more than $1.00 is asked to look into the merit of these.

Better grades at $1.50, $1.85, $2.00 and $2.50 a pair.

Men's Hats at $1.85.

Sample line of Soft Hats, all the leading Spring blocks, 30 different colors, no hat in the lot made to sell for less than $3.50, a great many at $4.00, some at $5.00, special today for..........$1.85

A lot of Derbies in black, brown and tan—hats that will compare favorably with many $4.00 Derbies sold in Greater Pittsburg—Spring blocks gotten up with care and detail, will be sold today for the special price of..........$1.85

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Spring Weights in Hosiery—Women's and Children's.

We are ready with new hosiery, the best we could find. You may be sure we know where to go for the best—both in Europe and in this country. Will you take today to look over what we have gathered?

Women's and children's Spring weights in best mace cotton and German lisle hosiery—black, tan, gray—all the stockings with double splicings—all of them our famous "Staghead" brand—25c, 35c, 50c and up to $1.00 a pair.

We have gathered a particularly nice collection of different styles of hosiery for women—several different grades—to sell for 50c, 75c and $1.00 a pair. At these several prices choice is from the following:

Women's black and tan lace boots.
Women's cadet embroidery and lace boots.
White lisle embroidered in black.
White lisle with lace boots and self embroidery.
White lisle with lace ankles.
Geranium, onion, mandarin, red and champagne, self-embroidered or embroidered in contrasting colors.

The foregoing are the newest kinks in hosiery for Spring, and the shades mentioned are the very latest.

We have also new Silk Hosiery for women—black silk stockings embroidered in such pretty contrasts as red, pink, sky and yellow. Prices $2.25, $2.75, $3.00 and $3.50 a pair.

VERY SPECIAL—Today women's Black Egyptian Cotton Hose—Rembrandt rib—a 25c grade at 3 pairs for 50c, single pair..........18c

Ribbons Today a Third to a Half Regular Prices.

New ribbons, designed for this Spring and Summer, beautiful colors, fashionable weaves! A manufacturer, a leading one, had accumulated some 1,000 pieces of ribbons—loom ends and short bolts—from the season's orders. These he offered to us for very much less than usual. Needless to say, we accepted his offer.

They're ready this morning—pink, blue, brown, navy, maize, reseda, black, cardinal and green—plain taffetas and satin taffetas—2 to 5 inches wide.

Ribbons worth 15c at 9c a yard.
Ribbons worth 20c at 12½c a yard.
Ribbons worth 30c at 18c a yard.
Ribbons worth 40c and 50c at 25c a yard.

In the Toy Store.

Today several lines, articles designed for the amusement of children, together with that source of amusement for older people, Skates, for very much lower prices than such things usually bring.

Children's Sewing Baskets, $1.00 values for 50c.
Dolls' Hampers, 75c, $1.00 and $2.50 values for half those prices.
Stores, stables and shops, delightfuly make-believes, $1.35 to $2.00 values, 25c; $2.25 to $3.75 values, 50c; $3.75 to $7.00 values for $1.00.
Skates, all kinds, regular prices $1.50 to $4.00 a pair, for half prices.

"The Marriage of William Ashe."

A new book by Mrs. Humphrey Ward—first on sale yesterday. Mrs. Ward has given us another delightful story of English upper-class life, and her new heroine, Lady Kitty Bristol, is even more engaging than was Julie Le Breton in "Lady Rose's Daughter."

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New and Pretty Things for the Feminine Neck.

Incidentally it may be remarked that each and all will be found highly satisfactory for the fashionable opera season beginning next week. Again it may be remarked that what follows is only a hint of the many new bedeckings to be found in our Women's Neckwear Department.

Ostrich Feather Boas and Stoles—white, black and ombre shaded combinations—from $20.00 up to $100.00.
Imported hand-embroidered Collar and Cuff Sets—new deep cuff effects—from $2.50 to $10.00 a set.
Irish Crochet Sets—collar and cuffs to match—very dainty—from $5.00 to $10.00 a set.
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Box of Ruching, six assorted neckpieces, worth 50c, for 25c the box.
White and colored Ruching—assorted colors—regular 25c quality—15c a yard, or $1.75 the box.
At 50c from 75c. An assortment of tucked and combination Lace Chemisettes—as pretty styles as one would wish to see. At the same price those popular coat revers made of plain linen or scrim—various styles.

Special Showing of Children's Parasols.

Already we have issued several invitations for women to inspect the new parasols and new colored umbrellas which are ready for Spring and Summer. Now be think it time to give the children a chance.

We have a host of new styles for children—parasols in dainty ruffle and tuck effect, some with borders—from 85c to $2.50 each.

Umbrellas for children of 2 to 8 years—good quality of black gloria with small fancy handles. 50c to 75c.
All-silk Umbrellas for small children, $2.00 each. These are shown in colors.
Umbrellas for larger children—black gloria, tape edge union taffeta, pure silk—in colors and black. Small fancy pearl and silver, horn or natural handles. 75c to $2.00.

Last Day of the Exhibit of Indian and Eskimo Basketry and Curios.

If you wish to look over the clever things made by the Eskimos of Alaska and the Indians of this country, today will be the last opportunity, as this is the last day for the exhibit.

There are many inexpensive articles that will bedeck your den or some nook. Then, again, are such practical things as Navajo Blankets than can be used in many ways.

The basketry is especially fine, and there are more different styles of baskets than we could enumerate, each and all of utility.

The leading exhibit is the sealskin rugs which took 10 years to execute.

A Quartet in Notions.

Why not save a little money on notions? The chance is yours today to do it.

50c Hose Supporters 25c a pair. Pad Supporters—made of satin and fancy silk elastic—or satine pad and heavy lisle elastic.
25c Hose Supporters 10c a pair. These are side supporters of heavy lisle elastic—black, white, pink, blue and red.
5c each for large size tomato Pin Cushions—red only—just the thing for home sewers.
5c a bolt for English Twilled Cotton Tape—½ to 1 inch wide—10 yards to the bolt.

Girls' $6.00 and $7.00 Coats for $2.00.

Winter coats which we wish to clean up in the shortest possible space of time. Of blue, brown and red cheviot—three-quarter and full lengths, sizes for 4, 6 and 8 years. Only one or two of a kind, but all in all a table full of them at the $2.00 price.

Another snappy bargain for today in the shape of a lot of girls' Russian Dresses in brown, blue and serges—some in black—with embroidered emblems—sizes 4 to 10 years. These are all $7.00 dresses and will be offered today for $4.75.

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Saturday, March 11, 1905.

A statement made by Secretary Hitchcock makes an impressive exhibit of the results so far obtained by the investigation of the Oregon land frauds. Sixty-eight indictments have been returned and so far there have been six convictions. The persons indicted include United States Senator Mitchell, Congressmen Hermann and Williamson, one state and two ex-state senators, eight attorneys and a number of government officials. The energy with which the investigation has been conducted and the rigorous impartiality shown in pressing home results, no matter how highly placed might be the offenders, are very creditable to the department.

The proposed bill to withhold from private water companies the right of eminent domain is a proper measure which should pass the legislature. It is a monstrous violation of public right that private corporations should be allowed to stake out the waters of the state, in numerous cases simply to hold them upon speculation until public needs compel the purchase of their claims. This is a matter to which Gov. Pennypacker called attention in his message, and bills conferring privileges upon water companies will receive a careful scrutiny from him, but there is need for the passage of a general measure to safeguard public interests.

The government of Australia has appointed a commission to inquire into the operation of the customs tariff of the commonwealth. This movement is understood to be a preliminary to an increase of duties so as to make them more protective in character. Tariff changes seem to be a world-wide movement, and a reciprocity feature is a regular accompaniment through the adoption of maximum and minimum schedules, so as to afford a basis for commercial agreements with other countries. The process establishes conditions which this country will have to meet, and the next time the tariff is revised the house will doubtless take care to fix the reciprocity schedule so that it cannot be annulled by the senate.

The chief inspector of emigration agencies of Canada has just returned from an extensive tour in this country and has reported that the migration from the United States into Canada will be greater this year than ever before. He estimates that fully 60,000 settlers will come into the Dominion from across the line this year as against 46,000 last year. This movement from the United States into Canada has become a serious matter, as those engaged in it are mostly substantial farmers who go with money to buy lands and settle permanently in the country. English immigration is also heavy, and is starting early. One steamship recently landed about 1,400, nearly all artisans or farmers. Immigration of this class is desirable for any country, and we appear to be losing it while Canada is gaining it.

An important decision was reached at yesterday's cabinet meeting in regard to the general policy governing appointments to office. While incumbents will be retained in office during satisfactory service irrespective of age or length of service, in new appointments youth and vigor will be desired. Army officers who have served 40 years will not be appointed as brigadier generals on the active list, although they are eligible for retirement as brigadier generals. The decision affects some 40 officers and opens the way for the appointment as brigadier general of more young officers than have heretofore held that grade. The change will no doubt put more spirit into the army and add to its efficiency. When battles are liable to last for many days in succession it is important that brigade commanders at least shall be young and vigorous men.

Russia's internal troubles are now increased by uprisings among the peasants in some districts. A dispatch from Kieff says that bands of peasants are marching through the Orlovka district, burning and looting estates. Disturbances of this kind break out in Russia at intervals, as the peasants are prone to hallucinations about a coming distribution of property and are easily worked upon by designing men. Outbreaks have been incited heretofore by the circulation of stories that the czar had ordered a new allotment of goods and lands and that the officials were disobeying his orders. The peasants are too ignorant as a class to feel the political agitations which are convulsing the industrial centers, but they are indirectly affected by the general spirit of disorder pervading Russia. The government took a dangerous course when in order to punish turbulent spirits among the workingmen in the towns it sent many of them back to the rural districts whence they had come. This was simply scattering the seed of disaffection, and it was predicted at the time that the effect would be seen in risings among the peasants. Scenes in Russia now resemble scenes in France before the outbreak of the revolution.

The Final Struggle.

The fall of Mukden is but a minor incident of the great battle which has been going on for over 10 days. Field Marshal Oyama's main purpose is not merely to gain ground but to crush the Russian army. To accomplish this result the Japanese army is now putting forth extreme exertions. The right and left wings of the Japanese army are racing north in the endeavor to cut off Gen. Kuropatkin's retreat, while the Russian army is making for Tie pass, closely followed by the Japanese center, with which the retreating Russians have to fight rear-guard actions. Tie pass is 47 miles north of Mukden, and the celerity of movement which conditions impose upon Gen. Kuropatkin will necessitate the abandonment of all stores and supplies save what the troops can take with them in forced marches. In any event the disaster to the Russian arms is enormous, but if the Russian retreat is cut off it may be irreparable. The situation in which Gen. Kuropatkin was placed by the collapse of his right wing is so desperate that if he is able to extricate the main portion of his army it will be a marvelous feat. The present tenor of the news indicates that Tie pass is likely to be his Appomattox. In that case the submission by Russia to the loss of Manchuria will be compulsory. The organization and transfer to Manchuria of another army would be difficult under any circumstances and impossible under the circumstances now existing in Russia.

An Important Franchise Decision.

Judge Grosscup of the federal court in Chicago has rendered an important decision in reference to street railway franchises. The city has contended that the 99-year franchises, which would not expire until 1958, are of no value as they were granted for horse cars, and since electricity has supplanted that method of transportation they may be appropriated by the city. The state gave its assistance to the city by allowing municipal ownership of street railroads and the people voted to accept this provision and take the lines. Two questions then arose, one as to the money for the purchase of the roads, and the other as the right to compel the surrender of the company's right to them. The railroad company claimed that the franchises granted in the sixties not only covered the lines then existing, but, according to the "twig and branch" theory, all of the extensions that have since been made. The decision is in the nature of a compromise, in that it allows that the original franchises are valid, but holds that no franchise value pertains to the extensions.

Both sides are thus claiming a victory, for the street railroad people are rejoicing that the original rights have been sustained, while the city claims that it has acquired the right to operate tracks through a larger part of the city, now occupied by branch lines, thus winning nineteen-twentieths of the contention. If the street railway can only hold its original tracks, it is admitted that the enormously inflated capitalization would be practically valueless, for it could only pay dividends on a normal capitalization of the lines it has a right to operate. The case is going to the United States supreme court and about a year will elapse before a decision from that body. In the meantime there is a city election in which the traction problem is the chief issue, the Democrats claiming they have the privilege of immediately condemning the railway property, while the Republicans are in favor of waiting until the courts decide the matter.

The decision of the supreme court will be of immense importance, as it will determine the status of street railway franchises everywhere and will lay down principles of law which will guide action for the enforcement of public rights. Whatever be the result, it is not likely to favor the enormous capitalization of street railway privileges which has been practiced in the past. Even if the companies shall be confirmed in the full possession of all franchises, then at least they have a valuable species of property which the laws can reach for purposes of taxation. An issue of this nature is presented by the New York tax upon franchises, which also is pending before the supreme court. These various cases will be apt to settle the law in such a way as to define the respective rights of municipalities and public utility corporations.

A Conservative Labor Union

The strike on the elevated and subway transit company lines in New York appears about to collapse, and this will be largely due to the decision of the chief of the National Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers not to recognize the local organization because they broke their contract with the company. Much will be said about the precautions of the management in having skilled workmen ready to supply the places of the strikers, but that element could not count with the moral effect of Chief Stone's order, "Go back to your places or you will be expelled, for you have broken your word." It is gratifying that there should appear a labor leader with the honesty and courage to insist that the agreement of an organization of the employed should be just as sacred as that made by the employer. This coincides with the understanding of the Interborough company, so that the evidence is overwhelmingly against any attempt of the strikers to justify themselves.

The conservative and law-abiding position taken by the chief of the locomotive engineers follows the traditions of that organization, for the late Chief P. M. Arthur was not only opposed to strikes, but on several occasions refused to allow his men to become involved in disputes where the engineer's part would be merely sympathetic. His conduct gave credit to the organization until it came to be trusted by employers as honorable in all disputes between capital and labor. Chief Stone followed up his threat of expulsion by demanding the surrender of the charter of the local Brotherhood of Electrical Engineers who had repudiated their agreement made last fall to accept a certain schedule and not to strike until an opportunity had been afforded to arbitrate difficulties. Labor leaders cannot expect to win public sympathy in strikes if there is any failure to keep agreements, and popular sympathy is very essential in a tie-up which inconvenience thousands of people.

The Business Situation.

Two incidents of the week made a large contribution to the general stock of confidence in the future of business. One of these was the action of the Pennsylvania railroad in appropriating $31,000,000 for construction work and the purchase of equipment this year. The policy of the management of a half-billion corporation like the Pennsylvania is a good indication of the state of confidence existing not only in railroad circles but in general industrial circles, because the affiliations of the Pennsylvania are numerous and diversified. The appropriations made this week will not cover the total expenditures contemplated, it being understood that at the annual meeting next week the stockholders will be asked to authorize the issue of additional stock and bonds for improvements already planned. It is not so much the disbursement of large sums for construction and equipment as the fact that the management is satisfied to go ahead with the expenditures at this time that counts on the side of confidence. This action will encourage others along similar lines.

The other incident was the reduction in the minimum rate of discount of the Bank of England from 3 to 2½ per cent. This is the lowest rate quoted by the bank since before the Boer war. Last year, when for months money was unlendable in New York above 1 per cent on call, the Bank of England rate remained at or above 3 per cent, and it was feared that the increased requirements growing out of the war between Russia and Japan would make such drafts upon continental money markets that the Bank of England would maintain its discount rate as a matter of protection to its gold supply. The output of gold from the South African mines, however, has now reached the maximum attained just before the Boer war, and the developments of the past week in Manchuria point to an early peace between Russia and Japan. The action of the governors of the Bank of England, therefore, in reducing the discount rate to the lowest figure in seven years is regarded as significant of the best foreign opinion on the probable future of the money market. When money is easy and confidence strong every encouragement is extended to new enterprises and we experience what is known as real prosperity. The present indications are that this prosperity will extend over a wider area than for years past.

Statistics relating to the iron trade and allied industries tend to verify all the recent optimistic reports. The production of pig iron in February was 388,000 tons larger than in the corresponding month last year, and there was a further reduction of 25,694 tons in furnace stocks on hand. Prices of nearly all descriptions of iron and steel are strong and advancing. In the textile trade conditions are reported to be more satisfactory than at any time during the past three years. The export trade in cotton goods is active, and some mills are reported to be provided with orders that will keep them busy until next January.

The first important outbreak of labor troubles of the year occurred during the week on the New York underground and elevated railway systems. The strike was inaugurated without the sanction of the national authorities of the labor union and without the sympathy of the general public. There is every indication that the trouble will be of short duration. The demand for labor is rapidly increasing, and this together with the advance in commodity values will naturally tend to higher wages. So far the large employers of labor have displayed a disposition to forestall any movement for an advance by increasing wages and thus averting any interruption through strikes.

The stock market reacted slightly and there was a contraction in the volume of speculation during the early part of the week, but later there was a complete recovery in prices and trading again became extremely active. The average of values is now at the highest level of the year.

The Nippur Records.

The friction in the department of archaeology of the University of Pennsylvania, which resulted in the resignations of its president and three managers, is partly the result of the criticism of the tablets which Prof. H. V. Hilprecht claimed to have discovered in the excavations made at the temple of Nippur. Great importance was attached to these, as they were supposed to contain some of the earliest records in the world's history. Prof. Hilprecht translated only three of the tablets he found, and now Dr. Peters, who was engaged in excavations before Prof. Hilprecht started, declares that these tablets were extant before the discoveries made in the temple, and hence could never have formed a part of the treasure discovered there. The university is inclined to side with the professor, but the managers of the archaeology department are displeased because he refuses to answer the charges as to the authenticity of the tablets.

While the quarrel is unfortunate, it should not be allowed to draw into question the value of the world-famous collection at Philadelphia obtained largely through the efforts of Prof. Hilprecht. The manner in which he has handled the collection has given offense to scholars, and there have been complaints of a degree of egotism in his methods indicating a willingness to subordinate the interests of science to his personal celebrity. The recent explosion in the archaeology department has derived some of its force from ill-feeling which has been thus engendered. A dispute about a few tablets in the great collection does not really impair its value in elucidating ancient culture and throwing fresh light upon biblical history.

Perhaps if the czar could take a ride on a South Side car about 6 p. m. he would not feel so sure about the Pittsburgh street car idea.

Vice President Fairbanks has four years in which to think out his declination of that presidential boom, if he so desires.

Kittanning has pulled off her usual ice gorge break and will now retire for a year to her usual seclusion.

The destruction of a New Jersey candy plant by fire does not sweeten the loss to its owners.

Kuropatkin seems to have come in sight of that bitter end sooner than he expected.

The subway strike in New York did not last long enough to get into the magazines.

It is to be hoped that Witness Carnegie will not spend that $64 40 foolishly.

There seems to have been something of amuck at Mukden.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 10.—It is a poor week that does not produce something new in the way of women's clubs. Women engaged in business are interested today in a new organization called the Business Women's New York league, which promises mutual aid and pleasurable recreation for members. The officers of the society are: President, Mrs. Isabella Kellogg Church; vice president, Mrs. Caroline Foote Marsh; corresponding secretary, Miss Jessie Reid, and treasurer, Mrs. M. E. Hogan, all business women of wide acquaintance and experience, who understand the needs of their fellow-workers and will endeavor to work out a plan broad enough and sufficiently interesting to prove beneficial and attractive to saleswomen, stenographers and others engaged in commercial pursuits, also teachers, artists, lawyers, physicians, writers and other professional women. Headquarters have been opened in the St. James building, No. 1133 Broadway.

Social meetings will be held for the present on the third Monday evening of each month at 8:30 o'clock at the Martha Washington hotel. One of the projects of the league is to purchase a place, perhaps on the shores of Chesapeake bay, and keep it as a resort for tired members, where they can live at little or no expense. The New York league is a state affair, and business women anywhere in the state are eligible to membership. It does not aim to obtain an advance of wages or any such direct financial advantage.

Gen. Miles Will Be Here.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles will review the First regiment, Irish volunteers, Maj. Charles J. Crowley, commanding, at the Grand Central palace on St. Patrick's night. The retired commander-in-chief of the United States army has never seen the regiment on parade or review, and the officers and men think he will be more than agreeably surprised when he reviews their fine independent military organization next Friday. All arrangements have been completed for the affair. The hall will be handsomely decorated. More than two-thirds of the boxes have been sold. An exhibition of Irish dancing by members of the Gaelic society of New York will open the ball, and the program throughout will be thoroughly representative of the day. The review will take place at 9 o'clock sharp. There was a preparatory review at the Grand Central palace last night.

Things Doing for the Police.

The committee of nine—prominent citizens who have been investigating police conditions in the metropolis—will be ready to report early next week, possibly by Monday. The committee has looked at the situation from all angles, have listened to Dr. Parkhurst as well as to Commissioner McAdoo. In fact it would seem that the only police expert not called upon for his views is the Hon. William S. Devery, "the best chief New York ever had." The committee will recommend a reorganization of the detective bureau and that it be under the control of the police commissioner. Other recommendations will be that the office of chief of police be created and that the appeals of policemen to trials be confined to the department. It is probable, also, that the committee will recommend a bill to the legislature for passage increasing the powers of the commissioner. When the report is completed it will be presented to the committee of citizens in the chamber of commerce, who were responsible for the appointment of the committee of nine.

McKinley Association Made Permanent.

Subscribers to the pole and flag at the intersection of Boston road and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, where the American flag is now displayed on all legal holidays and on the occasion of patriotic observances, have decided to form a permanent organization, to be known as the McKinley Square Liberty Pole and Flag association. Through former Senator Joseph P. Hennessey, as attorney, a petition to Judge Davis of the supreme court has been presented, stating the objects of this corporation, as follows:

"The particular objects for which the corporation is to be formed are to erect and maintain, by and with the consent and permission of the proper authorities, a liberty pole and American flag in or near the public street or place, known officially as McKinley square, in the Twenty-third ward, borough of the Bronx."

The petition further states that the times for holding its annual meetings are on the 29th day of January of each and every year, the anniversary of the birth of William McKinley.

Of Course It Pays to Advertise.

Detective Nugent was not long ago reading a jewelers' journal, when he discovered this advertisement:

"WANTED—An Italian with black mustache and susceptible smile, for the theft of two diamonds from the jewelry store of L. M. Picard, No. 705 Fulton street, Brooklyn."

Nugent was assigned to Maiden lane yesterday, and in the afternoon he saw an Italian in a store at No. 1 Maiden lane. When the man left the store the detective stood in front of him and smiled. The Italian smiled back. "Guess you're the man wanted for the theft of two diamonds in Brooklyn," said Nugent, and he arrested the Italian. In the Tombs police court today the Brooklyn jeweler recognized the Italian as the man who had taken a pair of diamond earrings on March 1, and Magistrate Barlow turned the prisoner over to a detective from Brooklyn—all on account of a smile.

The Race to Be Amused.

With Coney Island open the breezes from the ocean feel a little more spring-like. But Coney Island does not furnish enough amusement for New York these days. There are a score of places that help some, with more to come. Plans have been filed with Building Superintendent Hopper for a toboggan slide 1,500 feet long, and a carousel 160 feet wide and 84 feet deep, to be erected for the Fort George Amusement Company as lessees on a plot 200 feet front and 376 feet deep, extending from Amsterdam avenue to Audubon avenue north of One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street. A giant circle swing, supported by a steel tower 50 feet high, is also to be built near the same point. The toboggan slide is to cost $6,000, the carousel $4,000 and the giant swing $5,000, and with each amusement project announced one is inclined to echo the barber's cry, "Next."

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
H. D. Denny, Jr.
J. E. Woods.
H. E. Sheldon.

Imperial.
J. Goodman.
W. B. Spellman.
E. G. Mueller.

Astor House.
H. F. Jacques.
C. W. Lawler.
L. Walker.
S. Keighley.

Manhattan.
E. O. Emerson, Jr.
Mrs. Emerson.
W. F. McCook.
H. A. Machesney.
J. H. McClelland.
T. H. Scott.

Broadway Central.
A. Schlesinger.
A. Edlis.
M. Edlis.
Misses Edlis.
Miss I. H. Smith.
N. Shaeffer.

Wolcott.
A. E. Best.
F. B. Tomb.

Breslin.
W. E. Howard.
Mrs. Howard.
J. L. Porter.

Fifth Avenue.
Miss H. D. Heinz.
Miss M. A. Robinson.
Mrs. A. Z. Robinson.
J. W. Robinson.
H. J. Heinz.
J. S. Foster.

Earlington.
J. D. Bryen.
Mrs. I. Rose.

Georgian.
A. R. Park.
W. M. Scaife.
Mrs. Scaife.

Grand Union.
A. W. Jones.

Herald Square.
G. C. J. Geer.

Girard.
F. W. Carson.

Algonquin.
E. Hooper.

Victoria.
Mrs. H. J. Curtis.

Indignant Talent.

A lecturer who always flattered himself that he was in the front rank of public speakers felt a trifle indignant over his introduction to a western audience by the chairman of the committee having charge of the town lecture course. It was the opening night of the course and the chairman said:

"Ladies and gentlemen: This is, as you know, the opening night of our town lecture course. I think that most of you know also that our lecture course last winter was not a financial success and we ran behind nearly $100. To avoid a recurrence of this we have this year engaged cheaper talent, the first of which will now address you.—Puck.

South Carolina First in the Corn Record.

J. A. Drake, Drake postoffice, Marlboro county, S. C., made 255 bushels and three pecks of corn (the world's record) on one acre, in 1890. Alfred Rose of Penn Yan, N. Y., was second, with 213 bushels. A Nebraska man third with 170 bushels. Mr. Snelling of Barnwell county, S. C., fourth, with 150 bushels.—Columbia State.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

What does my young lady do?

In this era of enterprise and progress, what is woman doing that is worth while?

She claims to be doing much, and to be keeping step with man. Indeed there are women who claim to be a step or two in advance.

But what is she doing for the common weal? What is my young lady doing in the way of fitting herself to take her mother's place in the world?

These questions are not asked for fun, but to be answered by my young lady and her mother.

A visiting editor from a section where the gospel of work is taught and practiced, asked a young lady who had finished her education how she put in the time. She replied by giving him her program for the preceding week, which she said was a fair sample of weekly programs:

Monday—In the afternoon matinee and theater at night—no supper, only hot chocolate after the play.

Tuesday—Afternoon, bridge whist. Evening at home to callers, and they called.

Wednesday—Nothing doing but calls in the evening.

Thursday—To a tea in the afternoon. Theater at night and at club dinner after the play. Home before 1 a. m.

Friday—Shopping in the forenoon. Entertained Chafingdish club in afternoon. At home to callers in the evening.

Saturday—Automobiling in the forenoon, then to matinee. Evening calls by young friends. Bridge whist, ice cream and coffee.

Sunday—Church and day of rest.

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How is that for a week's work?

She may have been kept quite busy, but what was it worth to her, or to anyone else, save to the theaters, restaurants and shops?

But that is her own affair, you may say, and so it is in a measure, but what sort of a statement will she be able to render when she comes to give an account of her stewardship?

If our time was our own, our very own, we might escape punishment for neglecting to improve it, but even that would not be a sufficient excuse for so doing.

Because a young lady has gone to school, was graduated and has broken into society, is not a good and sufficient excuse for her dawdling away her time and neglecting the opportunity to fit herself for useful employment during the remainder of her life.

She may have an idea that she will marry, since that is regarded as the proper thing to do, and that when she does she may not have such fine opportunities for having a good time.

May that not be the reason why so many society girls do not marry, or at least do not marry younger than they usually do?

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If our editorial friend will get for us a weekly itinerary of this young lady's mother, or that of the mother of any other society girl, we may be enabled to do some effective figuring. With only one phase of the equation to work from the results cannot be satisfactory, much less conclusive.

Possibly her mother was just such a girl in her young days, and is doing for her daughter only as she was done by. But if she was just such a girl don't you think she should have tried to improve on herself? Is it possible that she discovered no lines in her life to be improved upon? Or is she satisfied to allow her daughter to go on through life just as she has gone?

Let us have a few sample weekly itineraries of society mothers to compare with those of society girls. These may afford sufficient data upon which to build a theory, or from which to project a line of truth that may prove to be a life line for those who are desirous of being saved from the maelstrom that surges so furiously along the borders of the social world.

Anyway, it will interest the rest of the world to know how the social set puts in its time, or how it lives.

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INCIDENT OF THE FRENCH CAMP.

You know we French stormed Ratisbon,
A mile or so away,
On a little mound, Napoleon
Stood on our storming day;
With neck out-thrust, you fancy how,
Legs wide, arms locked behind,
As if to balance the prone brow,
Oppressive with its mind.

Just as perhaps he mused, "My plans
That soar, to earth may fall,
Let once my army leader Lannes
Waver at yonder wall"—
Out 'twixt the battery-smokes there flew
A rider, bound on bound
Full galloping; nor bridle drew
Until he reached the mound.

Then off there flung in smiling joy,
And held himself erect
By just his horse's mane, a boy:
You hardly could suspect—
(So tight he kept his lips compressed,
Scarce any blood came through)
You looked twice ere you saw his breast
Was all but shot in two.

"Well," cried he, "Emperor, by God's grace
We've got you Ratisbon!
The marshal's in the market place,
And you'll be there anon
To see your flag-bird flap his vans
Where I, to heart's desire,
Perched him!" The chief's eyes flashed; his
Soared up again like fire. [plans

The chief's eyes flashed; but presently
Softened itself, as sheathes
A film the mother eagle's eye
When her bruised eaglet breathes;
"You're wounded!" "Nay," his soldier's pride
Touched to the quick, he said:
"I'm killed, sire!" And, his chief beside,
Smiling, the boy fell dead.

—Browning.

Robert Browning was the author of the poem asked for by "Uncle Jake." It may be found in a volume in the old Ohio School library, entitled "Household Book of Poetry." George J. Luckey, for many years superintendent of Pittsburgh schools, once said to me that he thought the old Ohio School library was one of the most potent factors in making the state of Ohio as great as it is, for it brought the best literature of the world into every home.

CHARLES D. DICKINSON.

Leetonia, O.

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A collector of poetry would like to get a copy of a poem beginning with these lines:

"Whom first we love, you know, we seldom wed—
Time rules us all."

Another reader wants the lines of the old song, "Green Grow the Rushes, O."

It seems that everybody knows everything, that is, everything is known by somebody, or that there isn't anything that isn't known by somebody.

So far, every poem asked for through this column has been forthcoming. Somebody had taken sufficient interest in it to preserve it. Some have been brought out of scrap books made more than three score years ago.

Nothing can die that is fit to live.

IT IS TO SMILE.

She—I tell you I won't agree to any such thing! My mind is made up!

He—Your stories don't hang together, Clara. It was only yesterday you informed me that your mind was your own.—Boston Transcript.

Head of Institute—I'm afraid we can't cure your husband of drinking, madame.

She—Your note said it could be done in six months.

"True; but I hadn't seen you then."—Life.

Officer Clancy—And why did Keegan resign from the foorce?

Officer Coogan—Sure, he couldn't shtand the new beat they gave him. There was siven Chinese cooks, foive Swades, six nagurs, two Garmans and the only Irish cook on the hull beat was Keegan's own mother-in-law!—Puck.

"Is smoking offensive to you, ma'am?" asked the man at the desk.

"Not half as offensive as a dying cigar," answered the feminine caller. "Keep it going, please."—Chicago Tribune.

Brother—You can't think how nervous I was when I proposed.

Sister—You can't think how nervous she was until you did.—Town and Country.

Small Boy (just home from school)—Mamma, Miss Simpson says I'm descended from a monkey!

His Mother (glancing severely at her husband)—Not on my side, darling.—Harper's Weekly.

National Expenses

Diverse Views on Situation.

Current Revenues Will Be Sufficient.

New York Tribune (Rep.): One feature of the work done by congress at the last session deserves especial notice. On reassembling last December the leaders in the two houses found themselves confronted with what seemed an almost hopeless task. That task was to keep the appropriations for 1905-06 within the government's prospective income. In spite of the best intentions and the most painful exercise of economy, congress had failed at the long session to hold the expenditures for 1904-05 within the revenues. A deficit of at least $[illegible] was indicated for the year ending June 30, 1905, and the Republican leaders had to face the alternative of cutting still deeper into the estimates or saddling the treasury with an even larger deficit for 1905-06. The situation was made more gloomy by the fact that the passage of a river and harbor bill—omitted last year—could be no longer postponed, and that pressure for the passage of a public buildings bill was reaching an almost ominous aggressiveness. Few of the responsible managers were sanguine enough to believe three months ago that a deficit could be avoided. But, thanks to a policy of incessant watchfulness and scrupulous economy, what seemed impossible was finally accomplished, and the session closed with the assurance that no drafts would be made on the treasury next year which could not safely be honored out of the current revenues.

There Will Be No Deficit.

Philadelphia Press (Rep.): As explained by Mr. Hemenway in the house and Mr. Allison in the senate, there will be no deficit in the next fiscal year growing out of the appropriations already made. On the contrary, there will be a surplus. But what congress may do at its next session no one can tell. It will be time enough to talk about a deficit when there is reason to believe that one will exist. The deficit for the present fiscal year will, according to Mr. Hemenway, be about $[illegible]. But there would have been no deficit excepting for the increased expenditures of the postoffice department in the rapid installation of rural free delivery service, for which Democratic congressmen made eager requests. But that will be followed by increased receipts. Another feature was the rapid execution of work under the naval department calling for an unexpectedly large sum for work on warships. It is no reflection on congress that it has had to meet deficiencies for those purposes. The nation is the gainer.

There Will Be Enough Surplus.

Philadelphia Inquirer (Rep.): Republican and Democratic leaders on the committee on appropriations of the house are busily engaged in showing that Uncle Sam has on the one hand a comfortable prospect for the future in finance, and on the other that he is rushing toward bankruptcy. It is impossible to establish either of these contentions, for no man can perceive what will happen months ahead. The state of the case at present is that we have a deficit for the fiscal year to date of nearly $28,000,000, and it may grow greater or less. Senator Hemenway thinks it will be less. In any event there is a large surplus in the treasury, so that there is enough to make up a number of such deficits should they arise.

National Finances Improving.

Cleveland Leader (Rep.): That is a big deficit to wipe out in four months, but the business of the country is in such condition and the receipts of the government are increasing so fast that nearly all, if not the whole of the deficit, may be canceled by the end of June. Last month the revenues of the nation exceeded its expenditures by more than $3,000,000, and the surplus every month remaining in the fiscal year may easily be greater than that of February. What is certain is that there will be a sharp contrast between the deficit of nearly $42,000,000 in the last fiscal year and the largest excess of expenditures which is possible in the year ending with next June.

An Increase of 50 Per Cent.

Philadelphia Record (Dem.): The appropriations of the last four years are more than $1,000,000,000 greater than those of the four-year period 10 years ago. This is an increase of more than 50 per cent. The last congress appropriated more money than the one which defrayed the costs of the war with Spain. The expenditures have not only increased greatly over those of previous years, but they have exceeded the revenues, and the Republicans have no remedy to propose except that the national income will increase; they refuse to consider the decrease of the national expenditures.

Making Both Ends Meet.

New York World (Dem.): All quibbling aside, the impressive fact remains that, with an actual deficit of about $[illegible] for the first eight months of the current fiscal year, congress has authorized a net increase in expenditures of $37,000,000 for next year. The government's receipts this year have run slightly heavier than in 1904 and only $9,000,000 less than in 1903, when a surplus of over $30,000,000 had been accumulated by the end of the first week in March. Mr. Roosevelt has always shown a mind superior to the petty economies of administration. If congress had accepted his naval estimates the appropriations would have been $[illegible] heavier. As a matter of fact, the military appropriations for 1906 are nearly $6,000,000 less than for 1905. But how does Mr. Roosevelt expect to make both ends meet?

Wants Harmony, Not Bossism.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—Much has been said and written about bossism and there has been more said than written. Mildly speaking, Lawrence county is in a political ferment. People are asking themselves what political rights they have in "Little Lawrence," as the right of suffrage is about to be denied them. Lawrence county has been a "hot bed" of political unrest since the judgeship contest first made its debut into political society. The better element of all the political organizations in the county, including the Swallow adherents, [illegible], marched to the polls and cast their votes as one man for the Hon. W. E. Porter for judge. In consequence the Hon. W. D. Wallace was defeated.

This "unexpected defeat" of the Republican candidate for judge made a wound in the party that has never united, and judging from present indications it will be by slow granulation if it ever does unite. The Wallace element of the Republican party proposes to execute a rule at the April primaries denying the right to vote of all those who did not vote the straight Republican ticket, national, state and county, at the election last November. This sort of political usage is called by most lexicographers bossism and it is the kind of bossism that will disrupt any political organization.

For the future welfare of the Republican party in Lawrence county it would be beneficial if the acknowledged leader of the party would learn the difference between leadership and bossism. We are informed that the chairman of the state committee, Senator Penrose, has acknowledged the right of all Republicans who voted for President Roosevelt to vote at the April primaries. If Senator Penrose's orders are universal throughout the state and his authority absolute, then why should our leader set up a dictatorship? There are a few maxims good and true: It is never too late to mend; errors and sin can be lived down; there is redemption for the man who wants to redeem himself. The first step in this direction is to discard old associates. A man is often what he makes himself. Give us harmony and less bossism.

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Belgian Bovine Quadruplets.

A striking case of fecundity in cattle is published by Prof. A. Reul of the Brussels Veterinary school in the Annales de Medecine Veterinaire. The mother was a small 4-year-old cow measuring 44½ inches high at the withers, 60 inches round the chest, and 56 inches from the poll to the root of the tail. The year before she had a single calf, and on June 16, 1904, gave birth to four calves, two male and two female that were alive and strong and rapidly developed.—London Globe.

Answers to Correspondents.

T. S., City—Read the bank and trust company advertisements in The Gazette for information you want.

C. S. C., Duquesne—Address Edward G. Harte, St. Nicholas building, city.

Knocking.

"Born with a silver spoon in her mouth, wasn't she?"

"Judging by the size I should imagine that instead of a silver spoon it was a [illegible]."—Houston Post.

REV. DR. PRUGH HAS A FINE TRIP

Pittsburgh Pastor Honored With Many Attentions During His Berlin Visit.

MANY INTERESTING DAYS

Special Correspondence from
SIDNEY J. WATTS, Staff Correspondent.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—Dr. J. H. Prugh of Pittsburgh is in Berlin. True to American principles he is not losing one minute of his all too short time; visits, dinners, carriage drives, succeed each other with confusing rapidity. Indeed, the days are filled to distraction.

But the doctor was well prepared. The Hamburg-American boat, Patricia, after a thoroughly enjoyable trip, arrived in Hamburg Friday, February 24. Then began the rush. The party divided here. Dr. Prugh and Dr. Heischman, the representatives of the Lutheran church in America, came directly to Berlin. Dr. Prugh's daughter with several friends, remained in Hamburg until Sunday, arriving in Berlin late that night. Excellent quarters were found in the Hotel der Rome, near Unter den Linden, a few minutes from the royal palace. Here accommodating servants were found who could speak English fluently, relieving the minds of those whose German was "just a little weak."

Dr. Prugh lost no time. Dr. Dickie, pastor of the American church, ever ready to have traveling American ministers occupy his pulpit, made no exception in the case of the Pittsburgh pastor. Dr. Prugh preached a simple, direct sermon, mentioning in the course of it his interest in the kaiser's plan to produce greater unity in the German church, and to strengthen the convention between the different branches of the Christian church in all countries.

After a drive in the afternoon through the suburbs of Berlin, and service in the Kaiser Friedrich Memorial church at 6, Dr. Prugh, with the other American representatives, attended "Abendessen" at the home of Dr. Dryander, the court preacher.

Monday, the 27th, was, however, the great day. The weather conditions were perfect. "Hohenzollern weather," as the people say here. Unter den Linden in front of the university, was crowded along the pavements with thousands of spectators; brightly adorned equippages of every description whirled by one after the other. The members of the royal family, the royal guests, the foreign delegates were early in the new dom; as the service began, the bells of all the Protestant churches in the city broke into sound and continued throughout the service.

Little respite was allowed the visitors. Promptly at 2 o'clock they started for the palace, where they were received in person by the kaiser. His majesty proved himself most genial throughout. Shortly after the return of the American guests to their hotel they were surprised each to receive, as a gift from the kaiser, a medal, bearing on one side the head of the kaiser, on the reverse, a reproduction of the new dom.

Monday evening came the dinner with the kaiser in the palace. After this Dr. Prugh was practically free, and will probably start Thursday for Budapest, whence he will return by way of Dresden, Leipsic and Wittenburg, to Bremen, in time to sail March 7 on the Crown Prince William of the North German Lloyd line.

What the days have lacked in number they have made up for in intensity. Each has been literally crowded with interesting things. It is not given to many mortals to see the kaiser four times in one day, as did Dr. Prugh, Monday, February 27. The pastor of Grace church will have much that is interesting and instructive to relate to his friends on his return.
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TWO LOCAL MEASURES.

Representative L. B. Cook Takes Occasion to Deny Some Statements Concerning Them.

Representative L. B. Cook yesterday denied that it was the fault of the sponsors of the bills to establish two new courts here, that the measure did not come up this week. He explained that the presidential inauguration took many members of both houses from Harrisburg to Washington, and the attendance in the house of representatives was therefore slim this week.

"I did not want to call up the bills while so many friends of the measures were away," said Mr. Cook. "I am confident that the bills will be passed next week. It is not true that the governor has said he will veto the bills. He was asked pointblank if he had made such a statement, and he said he had not."

Concerning the prospects of the passage of the Greater Pittsburgh bills Mr. Cook said he thought the bill as amended to consolidate only Allegheny with Pittsburgh, would probably be passed. Not only were the members of the Pittsburgh delegation in favor of the bill, but nearly every representative from Western Pennsylvania thought it ought to be passed.

TIME BALL WILL FALL.

New Apparatus of Weather Bureau Ready for Operation.

The time ball operated by the local office of the United States weather bureau on the roof of the Farmers Bank building will drop for the first time at noon today. The big sphere will slide down the lofty pole at exactly the moment the sun reaches the meridian according to eastern standard time.

The naked pole on the building at Fifth avenue and Wood street has been watched with interest for several months, and people have long wondered how soon it would be put in operation. The ball can be seen from nearly all downtown buildings, and thousands of pairs of eyes will be fixed on the new apparatus as the sun climbs heavenward at the noon hour today.

Scottish Prima Donna to Sing.

Miss Jessie Maclachlan, the Scottish prima donna, with her company of artists, who are making a farewell American tour, have been engaged to give a concert in Allegheny Carnegie hall on next Tuesday evening. Miss Maclachlan has been likened to Madame Patti and Jennie Lind, who "who sang the songs which reached the heart." When she sang before Queen Victoria she was presented by the lamented sovereign with a jeweled bracelet. From America the company will go to Australia for an extended tour.

Wants His Money Returned.

Attorney Joseph Mayhugh of Elizabeth threatens to have a writ of attachment served on Mayor Falkenstein of McKeesport unless he refunds a forfeit of $50 levied on Mayhugh's brother, a milk dealer, some time ago. Falkenstein's decision in the suit against Mayhugh was reversed by the court. The $50 was turned in to the city treasurer and a refunding resolution will have to be passed by councils before the money can be paid back.

Inquiring Into Election Frauds.

The grand jury yesterday began the investigation of alleged election frauds in the Thirteenth ward, and questioned witnesses concerning the allegation that one or more members of the election board had stuffed the ballot bix. Daniel Dwyer was an overseer at the election and was arrested at the time. Dwyer dropped dead at the patrol box.

Couldn't Account for Lead Pipe.

Patrolman Shrader of Allegheny last night arrested three men giving their names as William Krome, James Stevenson and Charles Burgstrasser. They had in their possession a large quantity of lead pipe, and as they could not satisfactorily account for it they were locked up.

SHARPE.

Gentlemen's Garments, 213-14 Farmers Bank Building, announces the arrival of special importations from the world's best makers, and invites a call.

Excursion to Wheeling Every Sunday, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner of Smithfield and Water streets, 8:30 a. m.; returning leaves Wheeling 5:30 p. m. Fare, $1.50 round trip.

Free Money and Situation In The Sunday Gazette tomorrow.

LAWYERS ARGUE MOTION TO QUASH

Indictment in One Allegheny Graft Case Now Before the Court.

QUESTION OF EXTORTION

The Allegheny City graft cases are at last before the criminal court, and notwithstanding the efforts of Attorneys Thomas M. Marshall and S. S. Robertson for the defendants, there is hardly a question but that they will be tried under at least one of the indictments, that based on the common law. The defendants' attorneys won a few minor points in their contention yesterday that the indictments charging extortion must fall because they do not come within the provision of the statutes covering such a crime, and it is possible, from the remarks of the court, that he will quash those counts charging extortion against Street Commissioner Striepeke, although no motion to this effect has been made. The commonwealth, however, stated through Attorney John Marron that it had four counts against Striepeke and it might not press the two counts charging extortion.

The cases came before Judge Shafer yesterday afternoon on an argument to quash the indictment against Police Captain James Wilson for the following reasons.

"That he is not charged with an offense that is indictable either by statute or by common law; that Wilson is not a 'constable or other officer' within the meaning of the criminal code; that it is not the duty of Capt. Wilson to suppress disorderly houses or places where liquor is sold illegally; that the service to be rendered by Wilson, as charged in the indictment, for the fee or reward charged to have been paid to him, had no relation to his official duty, if any official duty existed."

Attorney S. S. Robertson presented the case for the defendants, holding that as Wilson was described as a policeman, his duties not defiend, there was nothing to show that he was officially charged with suppressing disorderly houses or places where liquor is sold illegally. He contended that there never was and never will be, until the statutory provisions regarding extortion is changed by the legislature, a crime of that nature where the person so charged is held to have taken money for refraining from doing something which might be his duty, but all the cases and indictments are the direct opposite, the person being charged with taking money for doing his alleged duty, or more than he is allowed by law for performing some official act.

"While the act designated Wilson as a constable," said Mr. Robertson, "it clothed him also with the power of a policeman. This case shows that Wilson does not come under the provisions of the criminal code under which he is indicted."

Mr. Marron contended that the indictments were perfectly drawn, and even if there was some question under the statutes, the common law covered the ground securely and the indictments should stand. He thought that any juryman would readily see that the captain of police, by virtue of his office, had some connection or something to do with the suppression of disorderly houses.

Judge Shafer closed the argument with the remark, addressed to the district attorney and his assistants: "I will say to you, gentlemen, that I do not believe you can get along on the statutory indictment, but I am not so certain as regards the common law."

The court then told the lawyers on both sides to prepare a brief on the cases for him at once, so that he can hand down a decision. Most of the defendants were in the court room during the argument. District Attorney Stewart was an interested listener, as was his assistant, John Robb. Many other attorneys thronged the room or had seats in the jury box.

Judge Shafer is expected to hand down the decision today, so that if the indictments are not quashed the trials of the Allegheny graft cases can commence Monday morning.

VERNER WANTS FRANCHISE.

Return of Friend to Power in St. Petersburg Will Start Him to Russia Again.

Murry A. Verner will leave for St. Petersburg in a week or so to bag that traction franchise which he has been trying to obtain for several years past. Mr. Verner was about to get the franchise for building 300 miles of traction lines in the Russian metropolis a year or so ago, but his friend, de Witte, was hurled from power and von Plehve came in. Now de Witte is back in power and Verner is going to St. Petersburg to see him.

Mr. Verner's company, if it gets the franchise, will take over the horse car line and build 300 miles of electric railway. There are some radical points of difference between the St. Petersburg franchise and the Grant boulevard franchise which Mr. Verner got from the Pittsburgh councils some months ago. That franchise was perpetual and no compensation is paid to the city; the St. Petersburg privilege is granted for a term of 85 years only, and after the first five years the city will derive a liberal revenue from the company in the shape of a franchise tax.

BARTON AFTER GLENN.

Seventh Ward Constable to Have Hearing on Three Charges Today.

The hearing of Constable James E. Glenn before Alderman B. C. Barton on the charges of resisting an officer, disorderly conduct and aiding prisoners to escape, will take place today. Glenn, the alderman says, was very violent in his office the other day, but the alderman thinks he will be good this time. The offenses Glenn is accused of are said to have happened at a hearing which the alderman was holding in the case of several negroes and negresses accused of disorderly conduct.

Nine of the prisoners were recaptured and were yesterday fined $1 and costs each for disorderly conduct. They paid their fines and then they were rearrested on the charge of disorderly conduct committed at the time Glenn got into trouble. They will be heard on that charge on Monday. Mary Smith and Marshall Ruff, charged with aiding the prisoners to escape, will be arraigned today.

GREAT FUSION SCHEME.

Brennen Likes It So Well He Will Advocate General Movement for Entire State.

"I think so well of fusion," said William J. Brennen yesterday, "that I am not only in favor of it for Allegheny county and Pittsburgh, but I intend to advocate it for the whole state. It's a good thing, the developments of the past three years tending to show that fusion-elected officials, especially the Democratic ones, keep their reform pledges."

The Democratic state convention will meet on April 18. It is there that Mr. Brennen will spring his scheme. He believes that there are enough independent Republicans in the state, dissatisfied with Republican rule, to carry the state, in conjunction with the Democrats. Mr. Brennen did not say who ought to be the gubernatorial nominee of this aggregation.

CLIFTON WRECK VICTIMS LEAVE THE HOSPITAL

ROCHESTER, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—The last of the victims of the Clifton wreck on the Ft. Wayne railroad left the Beaver County General hospital today for their homes in Cleveland. They were Lieut. C. B. Haskins, of the Naval reserves; Capt. Charles F. Geckler and James Gray, colored cook.

MUST ANSWER FOR HIS WIFE'S DEATH

Sleep-Walking Woman Dressed in Husband's Clothes and Wandered Into Night.

MISTAKEN FOR A BURGLAR

When Bacilio Scarino stepped from the shadow of the Allegheny county workhouse yesterday, after serving a 15 months' sentence, he was again placed under arrest, County Detective Robinson having a warrant which charged him with being responsible for the death of his wife. Scarino broke down and wept. Those familiar with the case are inclined to sympathize with the prisoner, and say he was convicted of shooting his wife in the face of circumstances which showed he was a victim of relentless fate.

Scarino is of the better class of miners. He lived with his wife in a little mining hamlet near Bruce station. The husband enjoyed the respect of his companions, and was, apparently, happy in his home life. Mrs. Scarino was a sleep walker. When the husband would awaken in the dead of night and find himself the sole occupant of the bed, he entertained few feelings of alarm. Often he went out into the night, found the woman wandering aimlessly about and led her back to the house. Next morning she would be ignorant of what had transpired during her sonambulistic travels.

One night in November, 1902, Scarino and his wife retired, and when he awakened several hours later to find her gone, he felt no alarm. She had often returned alone after several hours' absence. But before the husband again fell asleep he heard sounds on the porch; then someone stealthily tried the door. Scarino's first thought was of his wife. He feared for her safety, for he thought the night prowler at the door a thief. Noiselessly approaching the window he made out the figure of a man at the door. He returned to the bed, took a revolver from under the pillow and once again approached the window and demanded: "Who is there?"

Receiving no answer, Scarino fired.

A scream and the heavy fall of a body followed the report of the pistol. Scarino lighted a lamp, threw open the door and looked into the face of the person he had shot. It was that of his wife. There was a bullet hole in her head and she was unconscious. Scarino carried her into the house and summoned a physician and neighbors. To all he related the same story. The mystery was clear to him. He knew that when she arose in her sleep she had dressed herself in his clothing and then gone out into the darkness.

When daylight broke Scarino had his wife removed to the West Penn hospital. He would sit by her bedside for hours, and it was there that officers found him and placed him under arrest. On information of the coroner he was held to await the result of his wife's injuries.

But Mrs. Scarino did not die at once. Instead she came out of the hospital a maniac. She was taken to the insane department at Marshalsea, where she died six months ago. The husband was convicted while she was in Marshalsea, and she died while he was in prison.

OFF FOR THE WEST INDIES.

River and Harbor Committee Will Start on Pleasant Cruise.

The Hon. Ernest F. Acheson left for New York last evening where he will join the other members of the rivers and harbors committee of congress and board the United States transport Sumner for a trip to Porto Rico. With J. Sharp Williams, the Democratic leader of the house, and Speaker Cannon, the committee has been invited to visit Porto Rico and inspect the harbors of the island with a view to their improvement.

The party will land at San Juan and cross the island on motor cars to Ponce, from whence they will go to Culebra. From there they will go to Santiago, Cuba, and cross Cuba on the new railway to Havana. From Havana it is proposed to go to New Orleans and inspect the work being done there in the Southwest passage.

A side trip will likely be made to Santo Domingo, and the needs of that government will be studied at first hand. The trip will occupy about three or four weeks.

ARRESTED FOUR OPERATORS OF DOWNTOWN RESORTS

Mamie Bernstein of 446 First avenue; Kate Levine of 52 Cherry alley; Lillie Schwartz of 452 Water street and Rose Markowvitz of 37 Ross street, were held for a hearing in $1,500 each by Alderman Kirby last night. A time for a hearing will not be set until four other women against whom informations have been made, are arrested. The women are charged with keeping disorderly houses, selling liquor without a license and selling liquor on Sunday. The charges were brought by Constable James Glenn of the Seventh ward.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Duquesne—J. W. Grant, Dennison Grant, Franklin; R. M. Fry, Uniontown; E. D. Stiles, Cumberland, Mr.; Cyrus Gordon, Clearfield, Pa.

Henry—H. S. Palmer, Minerva, O.; Charles Jacobson, Warren, Pa.; R. R. Carnahan, Morgantown, W. Va.; J. Scroggs, Jr., Beaver.

Antler—E. G. McNair, Sharon; M. S. Bush, Parkersburg, W. Va.; F. Louis Egan, Erie; A. D. Newell, New Castle.

Colonial—H. G. Bye, Youngstown; W. F. Brown, Dubois; R. F. Sample, E. E. Marshall and Oscar Williams, Uniontown.

Seventh Avenue—P. M. Thompson, Sharon; A. A. Bratton, Mt. Union, Pa.; Isaac Walker, Washington, Pa.; Clarence Bennett, Johnstown; J. H. Knox, Waynesburg.

Strike Closes a Furnace.

SCOTTDALE, March 10.—(Special.)—The Scottdale furnace was shut down this evening on account of the filters and iron carriers going on a strike. The furnace is operated by Corrigan, McKinney & Co., of Cleveland.

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BRILLIANT CLOSE OF MUSIC SEASON

Pittsburgh Orchestra's Last Program, Devoted to Beethoven and Wagner, Was Superb.

MADAME GADSKI THE SOLOIST

Of the splendid programs arranged by Conductor Emil Paur for the tenth season of the Pittsburgh orchestra, his first with the organization, the fifteenth and last, that played at Carnegie Music hall last evening, and which is to be repeated at the same place this afternoon, in the opinion of what seems to be a large majority of the patrons of the orchestra, is the most noteworthy. Only two composers are drawn upon and they the most famous of the masters—Beethoven and Wagner.

The first part of the program, given over to Beethoven, embraced his great classic, the ninth symphony, the No. 3 "Leonore" overture and the recitative and aria "Thou Monstrous Fiend," from "Fidelio." The second part was reserved for three of Wagner's most popular compositions—the bacchanale from "Tannhauser," the aria, "O, Lovely Halls," from the same opera, and the prelude of "Die Meistersinger."

The soloist was Madame Johanna Gadski who was never more a queen of song, both in voice and appearance. The audience of last night was the largest of the season, surpassing in size the gathering on the occasion of the opening concert, on the evening of the last Founder's day, when Conductor Paur made his first appearance at the head of the orchestra. And it was a wildly enthusiastic audience, too. Again and again it gave a reception to Mr. Paur that was flattering in the extreme and as for Gadski—well, the people went wild over her. After her last number she was recalled eight times, and it was only her own statment, delivered over the footlights, that Conductor Paur's rule permitted of no encores, that finally stilled the insistent demand that she sing again. Taken all in all, it was a great concert and a glorious close to what has been the most artistic season in the history of the orchestra.

The Ninth symphony is of course the great feature of this last program. A more notable work has not been given during the season, nor has anything on the season's programs received a more artistic treatment, not excepting Tschaikowsky's "Pathetic." In an address Col. Samuel Harden Church delivered in Carnegie Music hall on one important occasion, he said: "The American Constitution is to statesmanship what Hamlet is to literature, what the Parthenon is to architecture, what the Ninth symphony is to music." That well expresses the estimate of the position the immortal composition holds in the minds of the scholars and literateurs of today.

One of the really notable performances of the work in this country was that in New York, in April, 1902, under the same master who conducted last night, and Mr. Paur, in recalling that and making comparisons with what his men did last night, said the Pittsburgh performance did not suffer by comparison in the least.

The third movement, adagio cantabile, a most lovely, warm and comforting melody, was played exquisitely. At the close there was a moment of silence—the celestial strains were too sweet to be too rudely disturbed—and then there burst out a wave of applause such as seldom heard in Carnegie hall. In the 53 minutes required for the playing of the work the audience seemed to have become intoxicated with delight and there was ample cause for the volley after volley with which the splendid efforts of Mr. Paur and his men were rewarded.

The same program is to be repeated this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, at the same hall, and the indications are that at this last appearance of the orchestra for the season, even standing room will be scarce. One week later the orchestra will start away on a six weeks' concert tour through the south and southwest with Madame Gadski as the soloist. The combination is one that should not fail to draw crowded houses.

SAY LADS BROKE UP THE SWITCH AND SIGNAL LAMP

James Wasloski, aged 12, and Louis Beyinski, aged 11, of the South Side, were committed to jail last evening by Alderman Thomas Edgar on information made by George Gearing, a special officer for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. They are being held for the juvenile court. The lads are accused of breaking switch and signal lamps on the Monongahela division of the Pennsylvania railroad.

A Letter From Manager Conried of the Metropolitan Opera Co.

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MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP DISCUSSED BY BOARD

Oakland Judges of Debate Decide That Affirmative Arguments Are Weightier.

Members of the Oakland board of trade last night listened to a debate on "Municipal Ownership of Public Utilities," and the judges appointed to pass on the merits of the argument decided that those speaking for the affirmative side of the question had the better of it. The debate ended the regular weekly meeting of the board.

For the affirmative Messrs. Charles B. Robinson and E. Y. Breck appeared, while the negative side of the proposition was defended by Messrs. R. T. Holden, W. S. Negley and E. R. Sullivan. The judges were C. B. Aylesworth, W. W. Giffen and A. C. Shaw.

Mr. Breck cited the well-known experience of Toronto, Canada, in dealing with this problem. Mr. Sullivan believed that city governments like the present would be incompetent to deal with public ownership responsibilities. Mr. Negley did not believe the people were ready for this innovation.

The board indorsed the bill now before the legislature to provide armories for all national guard regiments. Col. A. J. Logan explained the bill and also spoke of the work being done in the interest of the Greater Pittsburgh movement.

COMMISSIONER EVANS DISSECTS THE ROAD LAW

No Benefit in It for Allegheny County and the Flinn Act Is More Available.

County Commissioner James Evans has looked over the new road bill, creating a state bureau of roads and providing that the state shall encourage the building of good roads by paying two-thirds of the cost. For the rural counties the bill might be a good thing, Mr. Evans said, but not for this county.

"This bill, as does the general road bill passed at the last session of the legislature," said Mr. Evans, "provides that for roads built under its terms the counties shall pay one-sixth, the township one-sixth and the state two-thirds of the cost. That sounds very liberal. Last year the state appropriated $1,000,000, and Allegheny county's proportion of the fund amounted only $12,000, enough to build not more than a mile and a half of the kind of roads we are building.

"Allegheny county, in my opinion, had better continue building roads under the Flinn law, and the county ought to control these roads, too. A bill has been presented in the legislature giving the county power to regulate the roads, and I think it ought to be passed."

Although Allegheny county and its taxpayers have defrayed the entire cost of the roads built under the Flinn law, the commissioners have not the right to regulate traffic. For example, the commissioners are in favor of requiring vehicles used for hauling to have wheels with wide tires, but have not the power under the law to make or enforce such a regulation.

TRUCK "F" HORSE KICKED CAR AND BROKE ITS LEG

One of the horses of Truck F, connected with Engine Company No. 25, Thirty-second street and Penn avenue, had to be killed yesterday as the result of the animal attempting to kick a West Wilkinsburg street car. The truck and engine company had answered a still alarm for a small blaze at the home of A. Bartnsimus, 349 Twenty-ninth street, and were returning to the engine house when car 8136 passed the truck. The horse on the side next to the track attempted to kick the passing car, and in doing so, struck its hind leg on a heavy beam in front of the car and broke it.

Couldn't Stand Pressure.

Archie Howard could'nt stand the pressure when a fellow diner trod on his toes in a Wylie avenue restaurant last evening and picked up a bread knife to argue with. The party who tramped his feet saw the point and ran, with Howard in pursuit. Officer Andrew Terry arrested Howard and the bread knife and they are in the Center avenue station.

Bellevue Council Deadlocked.

Bellevue council last night made another successful attempt to organize. After one ballot, in which the vote for president was four for David Carlin and four for Otto Kayser, the meeting was adjourned until next Thursday.

B. & B.

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FATAL WRECK WAS CAUSED BY WATCH

Engineer's Timepiece Stopped and His Freight Engine Struck Passenger Train.

MANY INJURED, ONE FATALLY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WARREN, PA., March 10.—Passenger train No. 6, eastbound, on the Philadelphia & Erie division of the Pennsylvania railroad, due here at 10 o'clock, collided head-on into a freight locomotive at Pittsfield this morning.

THE INJURED:

MARTIN M'LAUGHLIN of Erie, engineer of the passenger; body scalded; will die.

HATTIE FORBES, Altoona; internally injured; in serious condition.

T. B. DEMPSEY, Springboro, Pa.; head and face cut, injured internally.

JOHN M'KINLEY, Erie, fireman on passenger train; injured by jumping.

JACOB BALDENSPERGER, Warren, fireman on freight engine; injured by jumping.

F. F. MORAN, Warren, engineer of the freight; back sprained and severely cut and bruised.

KATHERINE LYONS, Corry; nose broken and internally injured.

The accident was caused by the stopping of the watch of Freight Engineer Moran. An effort was made by the operator at Pittsfield to stop the freight engine, but no heed was paid to the signal, it is said. Both trains were running at a high rate of speed, the passenger trying to make up lost time. A curve in the road prevented the engineers seeing each other's train until the collision was inevitable.

Engineer McLaughlin stuck to his post and endeavored to reverse his engine, but the freight men jumped. The passenger cars were crowded, and when the trains came together the passengers were thrown the entire length of the cars. A special train from Warren carried railroad surgeons to the scene of the wreck and the injured were removed to the emergency hospital here.

The Death Roll.

Capt. John W. Miller.

Capt. John W. Miller died at his home in Carnegie yesterday. Capt. Miller was born March 27, 1827, in Allegheny, and learned the wagon-making trade there. In October, 1851, he married Miss Eliza Jane Smith, and in 1853 removed from Allegheny to a farm near Charleston, W. Va. Here Mr. Miller lived until Lincoln's first call for troops, when he enlisted for 90 days. At the expiration of this term he organized Company F, Ninth West Virginia volunteers, and was made first lieutenant, afterward being promoted to the captaincy. He served throughout the civil war, being with Sheridan in the Shenandoah valley. At the close of the war he returned to his farm and in 1876 he removed to Pittsburgh, where he engaged in pattern making until two years ago, when he retired. His wife died four months ago, and he is survived by four children, S. P. Miller, Gallipolis, O.; Jane M. Miller, Idlewood; Mrs. Sanford Knapp and Mrs. George Brescott, Crafton. One brother, James M. Miller of South Fayette township, and one sister, Mrs. William Aiken of Robinson township, survive, with 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Mr. Miller was a charter member of Post 147, G. A. R. of Pittsburgh.

Oliver Hopkinson.

Oliver Hopkinson, head of one of the oldest and most distinguished families in Philadelphia, died there yesterday of pneumonia, aged 83 years. Mr. Hopkinson was closely identified with the development of the city, and there is scarcely a public institution or social custom in Philadelphia in which either Mr. Hopkinson or his immediate predecessors did not play an important part. He was admitted to the bar in 1847, and was a lieutenant of the Cadwalader Grays, which were active in suppressing the anti-Catholic riots in 1844. He served in the civil war as lieutenant colonel of the First Delaware regiment and was wounded at the battle of Antietam. When Lee invaded Pennsylvania in 1863 Mr. Hopkinson was given command of the second militia regiment, the Fifty-first Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Susan Ward Woods.

Mrs. Susan Ward Woods, aged 72, widow of Charles R. Woods, died yesterday morning at her residence, 817 Maryland avenue, after a short illness from pneumonia. She was born in Pittsburgh, her parents, John and Katherine Woods, being among the early settlers. After her marriage she lived on the South Side. She was a member of the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church, and is survived by the following children: Charles B. Woods, Philadelphia; R. E. of the Woods-Lloyd Company and Mary Woods, at home. The funeral will be from her late residence on Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary L. Erskine.

Mrs. Mary L. Erskine, aged 72, died Thursday, March 9, at Youngstown, O. Mrs. Erskine was born in Pittsburgh and lived here until 15 years ago, when she moved to Youngstown. She was married to the late Hugh Erskine of this city, who died six years ago. She was a member of the First Christian church of Allegheny and is survived by four children, Robert M. Erskine, a real estate dealer of Hazelwood; Hugh E., a merchant of Knoxville; Mrs. William Simpson and Mrs. Harry W. Reese of the East End. Her funeral will be on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son, Robert M. Erskine, in Hazelwood.

Mrs. Norman Macferron.

Director E. J. McIlvain of the Allegheny department of public works yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of his daughter, Loretta, wife of Norman Macferron, at their winter home in St. Augustine, Florida. Mrs. Macferron died of heart disease about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, after a short illness. She was 31 years of age and had been married five years. Her husband is a grandson of the late David Macferron, city treasurer of Allegheny for many years. Their northern home is in Avalon. Mrs. Macferron leaves one child, aged 7 months.

Mrs. Annie Trich.

Mrs. Annie Trich, widow of Samuel Trich, died yesterday at her home, Coursin station, aged 77, from pneumonia. She was born in Westmoreland county, and for 40 years was a member of the First Presbyterian church, McKeesport, having been an active member up until a short time before her death. About 20 years ago she left McKeesport to live at Coursin station. She is survived by seven children—Thomas, Frank and James, Mrs. Joseph Hope, Hawkins station; Mrs. Henry Goldstrohm, McKeesport; Mrs. George Nabb, Avalon, and Miss Rose, at home.

Mrs. Ellen C. McCully.

Mrs. Ellen C. McCully, aged 42, widow of Henry McCully, died at her home in Hampton township, near De Haven, yesterday morning. She had lived in Allegheny county for 50 years. She was born in New Jersey. Mrs. McCully is survived by the following children: David McCully, Mrs. Harriet Rapp of De Haven, Mrs. Richard Austin of Etna and Mrs. E. J. Stuckey of Sharpsburg. She was a member of the Talley Cavey Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Drusilla Brian.

Mrs. Drusilla Brian, aged 79, died yesterday morning at her home, 6 Oak street, East Pittsburgh, from old age. Mrs. Brian was born in Fayette county, February 23, 1826, and in recent years she had made her home in East Pittsburgh. She was a lifelong member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and of late years had affiliated with the Turtle Creek congregation. She was a sister of Mrs. Jane Oartel of Kirkpatrick avenue, Braddock.

Mrs. Mary L. Erskine.

Mrs. Mary L. Erskine, widow of Hugh Erskine, died at Youngstown, O., on Thursday, aged 72. She leaves three sons, Hugh, Robert and Charles, and three daughters, Miss Mary, Mrs. Harry Reese and Mrs. William Simpson, all, except Charles, living in this city; also twenty-two grandchildren, one of whom, William Erskine, is at present a missionary in Japan, and two great-grandchildren. She was a member of the Christian church.

Mrs. Eliza Bradley Woods.

Mrs. Eliza Bradley Woods, aged 72, died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Ford, in Meade avenue, Bellevue, from pneumonia. Mrs. Woods was born in Pittsburgh and had always lived in this vicinity. She was the widow of Capt. M. L. Woods, who was killed in the explosion of the steamboat Percy Kelsey. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and is survived by four sons and two daughters.

John J. Veiock.

John J. Veiock, aged 43, died yesterday at his home, 406 Center street, Wilkinsburg. He was born in the Fourth ward, Allegheny, and for the last four years lived in Wilkinsburg, where he was a member of the Baptist church. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah H. Veiock (nee Bair), one son and one daughter and two sisters.

COULD NOT KEEP JURYMAN AWAKE

Drowsy Man in the Box During Argument in the Chadwick Trial.

WOMAN EXPECTS ACQUITTAL

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
JEROME NORDMAN, Staff Correspondent

CLEVELAND, March 10.—Interest in the Chadwick case sagged so perceptibly today that even one of the jurymen fell asleep. This is literally true. During the afternoon session while former Judge Wing was summing up the case for the defense in rare oratorical style, this juryman dozed repeatedly, awakening every few moments as his head fell. Attorney Jay P. Dawley for the defense was so humorously impressed that he requested a newspaper artist to sketch the drowsy member of the peers.

The spectators today consisted almost entirely of women and many of the feminine sex stood in the corridors all day in hope that seats would be relinquished for their accommodation. The day was entirely devoted to addresses to the jury by Assistant District Attorney Thomas H. Garry for the government and former Judge Wing for the defense. Attorney Dawley opened his argument for the defense just before court adjourned. He will continue tomorrow morning. District Attorney Sullivan will make the final plea for the government tomorrow afternoon, after which the court will charge the jury. The jury will surely have the case tomorrow night, as Judge Tayler has fixed other hearings for Monday morning.

Mrs. Chadwick was asked tonight if an interview printed in a Philadelphia paper this morning stating that she denied she was Andrew Carnegie's daughter was true.

"I have never been interviewed on that subject," she said, "and never will. I do not care to discuss that matter."

Confident of Acquittal.

"What do you think the verdict will be?" was asked.

"What? Surely you cannot be in doubt?" she exclaimed, with seeming surprise. "This jury is too intelligent a one not to be governed by the evidence, and that you know, means acquittal."

It was a trying day for Mrs. Chadwick, and her pale face and nervous manner showed that the strain of the trial is telling on her. During the greater part of the afternoon she sat back in her chair as if greatly exhausted. The attack made by Mr. Garry upon her financial methods disturbed her greatly. When he showed the jury by her own checks that without having any money in the bank she had secured loans amounting to $187,000, and $104,000 of it in one day, when the total amount which the bank could legally loan to one person was but $6,000, the prisoner sank back in her chair as if she believed that the statements of the attorney must have great effect on the minds of the jurymen.

During the afternoon when her own attorneys were making arguments she brightened up very much. Her troubles will not be over, however, even if acquitted in the present case. District Attorney Sullivan said this afternoon that he would probably bring about a second trial on another indictment immediately following her acquittal in the present case.

Refutes Conspiracy Charge.

Judge Wing, in speaking for Mrs. Chadwick, elaborated at length the theory held by the defense from the beginning of the trial, that Mrs. Chadwick could not be guilty of conspiracy because she had not entered into any prearrangement to commit an offense. Whether or not she did commit the offense, he said was not the point at issue. The claim of the government was that she had agreed with Spear to certify checks. She had procured their certification, but she had not arranged for it, prior to the time of asking for the checks to be certified.

This statement brought on a colloquy between the attorneys and Judge Tayler, which at times bordered on the psychological.

"Supposing," said the judge, "that a man having no money in a bank comes to the cashier of that bank, and asks him to certify a check, and the cashier certifies it. Do you claim that there is no conspiracy? No agreement to certify?"

"I claim that there is no conspiracy," replied the attorney. "The commission of the act may be wrong, but there is no previous arrangement. The agreement is simultaneous with the act, and there can be no conspiracy."

Mr. Carnegie Leaves Cleveland.

"Don't you think," asked Judge Tayler, "that there are not two distinct operations of mind involved? Before the cashier agrees to certify, he decides in his own mind that he will certify, and for an instant before he performs the act of certification, the mind of the man who asks for the certification, and the mind of the man who makes the certification are in accord. When he agrees to grant the request, is there no agreement?"

"I hold," replied Judge Wing, "that all things at that time are involved in the commission of the act, and that there is no agreement to commit any offense."

In the afternoon Judge Wing carefully analyzed the evidence submitted by the government, claiming throughout that while it might prove that she secured the certification of the checks when she had no money in the bank, it failed utterly to show that she had arranged in advance to secure the certification.

Andrew Carnegie left for New York over the Lake Shore railroad this afternoon. Mr. Carnegie came to Cleveland last Saturday evening, having been subpoenaed as a witness in the trial of Mrs. Chadwick, but was not called upon to testify. During his stay in Cleveland, Mr. Carnegie was the guest of Sylvester T. Everett, on Euclid avenue. Mr. Carnegie was shown much attention by his friends here, having been received by the president of Western Reserve university and the students, the officials and members of the builders' exchange and by many of his fellow countrymen.

Obituary Notes.

T. Dale Jennings, aged 60, died last evening at the residence of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Burt, 947 Lincoln avenue, Allegheny.

Mrs. Jess Rinanman, aged 47, died last evening at her home in McCandless township. The funeral will be at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the residence.

Mrs. Clara Renaley died yesterday at the residence of her father, John Cooper, Oakdale, Pa., from which place the funeral will occur on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

William Manamaker, aged 60, died Thursday evening at his residence, 1710 Maplewood avenue, Wilkinsburg, of pneumonia. He is survived by his widow and five sons. The funeral services will be held on Sunday, at Ravenna, O.

Mrs. Margaret Frew, aged 78, an inmate of the United Presbyterian home, Wilkinsburg, died yesterday at that institution. She was a member of the First United Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robena Boyd and Mrs. Joseph Devlin, both of this city.

David L. West, aged 41, a steel worker and a member of the West family, original settlers in Homestead, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Annie West, 106 East Ninth avenue, late Thursday night. He is survived by his mother and two sisters, Mrs. Dr. A. M. Barton and Mrs. William Worley, both of Homestead.

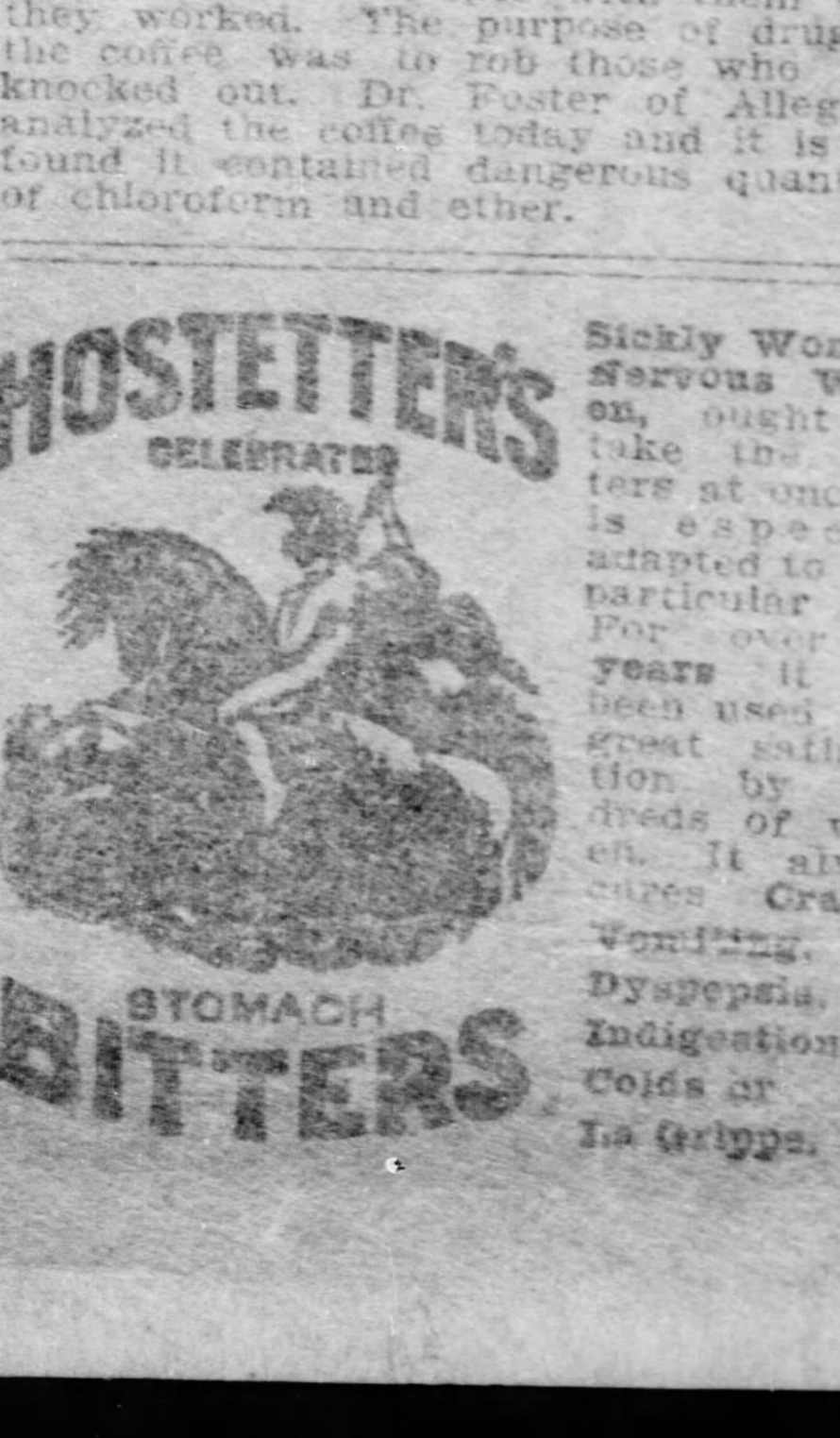
Mrs. Phyllis Robinson, widow of Thomas Robinson, died yesterday from pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Barrett, 124 North avenue, Braddock. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Charles of Altoona, and two daughters, Mrs. Barrett of Braddock and Miss Mary of Latrobe. The remains will be taken to Latrobe today for burial.

DRUGGED THEIR COFFEE.

Railroad Employes Stoned Man Who Evidently Tried to Knock Them Out and Rob Them.

ROCHESTER, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—An attempt was made to drug Pennsylvania railroad employes at Conway yards last night. The men noticed a man loitering around the dinner buckets, and when they drank their coffee they noticed an unnatural taste. They stoned him out of the yards.

Yesterday was payday and the men carried their envelopes with them while they worked. The purpose of drugging the coffee was to rob those who were knocked out. Dr. Foster of Allegheny analyzed the coffee today and it is said found it contained dangerous quantities of chloroform and ether.



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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

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Myrtle B. Rose	Glassport
William Walker	Pittsburgh
Henrietta Fluker	Pittsburgh
Daniel Reese	Allegheny
Laura Smith	Allegheny
Hugh A. Brankstone	Crafton
Keturah A. Reno	Idlewood
Charles Silvertson	Pittsburgh
Emma Phillips	Castle Shannon
Arch Fordyce	Pittsburgh
Edith Williams	Pittsburgh
James R. Robinson	Pittsburgh
Edith Smith	Pittsburgh

The favorite for restoring life and color to the hair is Parker's Hair Balsam.

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DIED.

BLACKSTOCK—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 2 p. m., VIOLA MAY, daughter of William F. and Minnie B. Blackstock, aged 21 months 20 days.

Funeral services on Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m., at parents' residence, 418 West Jefferson street, Allegheny.

BRIAN—At her home, at East Pittsburgh, on Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 7:30 a. m., Mrs. DRUSILLA BRIAN, in her 79th year.

Interment on Saturday, March 11, at 1 o'clock in the Monongahela cemetery, Braddock.

[Steubenville (O.) and New Cumberland (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

COLLINS—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 3:40 p. m., ANN, widow of David Collins, aged 71 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 148 Thirty-ninth street, Lawrenceville, Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. John the Baptist church, Thirty-sixth and Liberty streets, at 9 a. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

CRAWFORD—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 9:30 p. m., JAMES PORTER CRAWFORD, in his 46th year.

Funeral services at the residence, 4041 Duquesne avenue, Allegheny, Sunday, March 12, at 3 p. m. Interment Monday afternoon at Hollidays Cove, W. Va.

DRAHER—On Friday evening, March 10, 1905, at his parents' residence, 14 Taggart street, Allegheny, HARRY, only child of C. J. and Bessie L. Draher (nee Clark).

Notice of funeral later.

ERSKINE—At Youngstown, O., on Thursday, March 9, 1905, MARY L. ERSKINE, in her 73d year.

Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son, Robert M. Erskine, corner Algar and Nantasket streets, near Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, city.

FREW—At the United Presbyterian Home, Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Friday, March 10, 1905, at 6:40 a. m., Mrs. MARGARET FREW, in her 79th year.

Funeral services will be held at the home, corner of Penn and Trenton avenues, Wilkinsburg, on Saturday, March 11, at 3 p. m. Interment in Homewood cemetery.

GRANT—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 8:15 a. m., CLEMENT C. GRANT, son of Elmer L. and Kate Grant, at the family residence, 5443 Madison ave., in the 8th year of his age.

Notice of funeral later.

HOLMES—In New York, on Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 8:45 p. m., WILLIAM R. HOLMES, son of the late Nathaniel and Susan Holmes.

Funeral services at his late residence, corner Morewood and Fifth avenues, Sunday afternoon, March 12, at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

JENNINGS—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 8:05 p. m., at the residence of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Burt, 947 Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, T. DALE JENNINGS, aged 60 years.

Notice of funeral later.

KLEIN—On Wednesday, March 8, 1905, at 10 p. m., EDWARD E. KLEIN, son of the late J. C. and Rebecca Klein, at his residence, Brownsville road, Carrick borough, Baldwin township, in his 20th year.

Funeral services on Saturday, March 11, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'CALL—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 1:45 p. m., ELLIOTT M'CALL, in his 63d year.

Funeral services at the Sixth United Presbyterian church, Highland avenue and Station street, East End, Sabbath afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Remains may be viewed at church from 1:30 until 2:30 o'clock.

MANAMAKER—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 8 p. m., of pneumonia, at his late residence, 1719 Maplewood avenue, Wilkinsburg, WILLIAM MANAMAKER, aged 60 years. Five sons and a widow survive him.

The remains were shipped to Ravena, O., today. Funeral services will be held Sunday.

MATHIAS—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 10:45 a. m., EDGAR JOHN MATHIAS, youngest son of August H. and Marie Schweckdieck Mathias, aged 3 years.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 7307 Race street, East End, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MICHAELOFSKY—On Monday, March 6, 1905, at 11 a. m., at Hot Springs, Ark., AUGUST MICHAELOFSKY.

Funeral on Sunday, March 12, at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Carnegie, Pa., at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MILLER—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 11 a. m., Capt. JOHN W. MILLER, in his 78th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 39 Chestnut street, Crafton, Pa., Sunday, March 12, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private at a later hour. Members of Col. J. C. Hill Post 157, G. A. R., are respectfully invited to attend.

RINAMAN—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 8:45 p. m., at her residence, McCandless township, Mrs. JESSIE RINAMAN, in her 47th year.

Funeral on Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RENALEY—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 6:30 a. m., Mrs. CLARA RENALEY.

Funeral services on Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m., at the residence of her father, John Cooper, Oakdale, Pa.

(Kittanning papers please copy.)

RYND—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 2 a. m., AMELIA RYND, aged 87 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, J. L. Miller, No. 230 Observatory avenue, Allegheny, on Saturday, March 11, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

SAMPLE—Suddenly, on Friday, March 10, 1905, at 7:50 p. m., HYDE K. SAMPLE, son of Harry E. and Lillian M. Sample, in his 13th year.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents, 156 Evergreen avenue, Millvale, Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

VEIOCK—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Friday, March 10, 1905, at 6:30 a. m., JOHN J., husband of Sarah M. Veiock (nee Bair), in his 53d year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 306 Center street, Wilkinsburg, on Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m. Interment private in Monongahela cemetery.

WELSCH—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 5:50 p. m., at her residence, Fairview avenue, near Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, MARGARET HILL WELSCH, wife of Benjamin F. Welsch.

Funeral services Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

[Oil City (Pa.) and Tacoma (Wash.) papers please copy.]

WEST—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 11:30 p. m., at his home, 106 East Ninth avenue, Homestead, DAVID L. WEST, son of Anna and the late Matthew H. West, in his 42d year.

Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

(Beaver and Lawrence county papers please copy.)

WOODS—On Friday, March 10, 1905, at 3:15 a. m., Mrs. SUSAN WARD WOODS, relict of Charles R. Woods, in her 73d year.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 817 Maryland avenue, East End, on Monday, March 13, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church, Center avenue, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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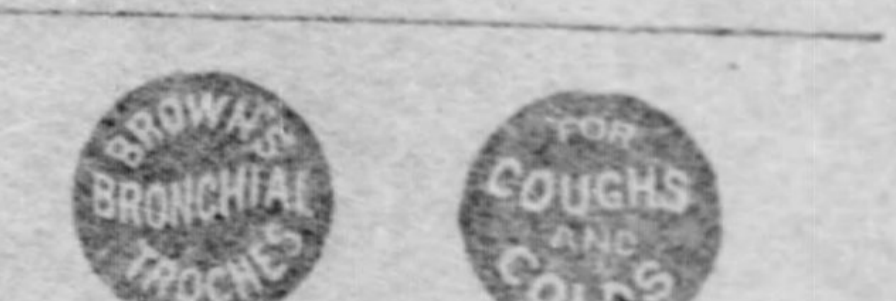

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MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that were marked up to $12.50 go now for $5.90

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All Odds and Ends must go. That's why we cut so deeply into prices regardless of the immediate loss.

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Near Union Station.

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In All the Regal Stores This Week
75 New Styles in Quarter Sizes

It's the most complete line of shoes ever displayed. The shoes are all fresh from the Regal factory, and the styles they embody are all direct copies of new models designed this Spring by the most fashionable bootmakers of the three great style centers—London, Paris and New York.

These new models are on sale in 93 Regal stores less than *six weeks* from the first showing of the originals, while other manufacturers are still making up their lasts and patterns—just one more time-saving result of the famous Regal "Tannery-to-Consumer" system.

If you never wore a Regal Oxford we wish you would call and talk Oxfords with us.

If you never wore a Regal of any model, make a point of coming in during this Opening Week and let us show you why the Regal has become known as "the shoe that proves," and that the Regal is a genuine "six-dollar shoe sold at the wholesale price."

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'Saxon' This 'Saxon' model meets the demand for a shoe of advance but not extreme style. It adds attractiveness to a fashionable Spring suit and fills the requirements of both dress and business wear. Made of Imported Patent and heavy Enamel Leather; Blucher cut.

One of the snappiest models of the year is the 'Piccadilly.' A great favorite with young business and college men. Made in Black King Kid, Russet and Patent Leathers, with light extension soles and military heel.

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You Can't Kill
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You who still use medicine for what medicine cannot do—let us show you the power of Liquozone. Let us buy you a bottle—a full-size bottle. Please try it at our expense.

You cannot cure illness without destroying the cause of it. And, when that cause is inside germs, medicine cannot destroy it.

Don't cling to drugs because your fathers employed them. The germ cause of disease was unknown until a few years ago. Until then, drugs were used because no one knew better. Now most people know that in a germ disease medicine is almost helpless. And they know the reason why.

Liquozone has cured millions of germ troubles by destroying the cause—the germs. These cured ones are everywhere; your neighbors and friends are among them. If you don't know the power of this product, won't you ask those who do?

Then try to believe that what Liquozone is doing for millions of sick ones, all over the world, it is bound to do for you.

What Liquozone Is.

Liquozone is a product which, in the past two years has sprung into worldwide use in the treatment of germ diseases. It is now used by the sick of nine nations; by physicians and hospitals everywhere. It is daily used in millions of homes in America.

The virtues of Liquozone are derived solely from gas, made in large part from the best oxygen producers. No drugs, no alcohol—nothing but this gas enters into it. The process of making takes 14 days, and requires immense apparatus. At the end of two weeks we get one cubic inch of Liquozone for each 1,250 cubic inches of gas used. The attainment of this product has, for more than 20 years, been the constant subject of scientific and chemical research.

The main result is to get into a liquid, and thus into the blood, a powerful, yet harmless germicide. And the product is so helpful—so good for you under any condition—that even a well person feels its instant benefit.

Two Million Dollars.

Have been spent to make Liquozone known. We have bought the first bottle and given it free to every sick one we learned of. The result is that one home in five, the country over, has some one whom Liquozone has cured. These homes are scattered everywhere. Your neighbors and friends live in some of them. If you will only ask what Liquozone does there are millions to tell you about it.

And we paid $100,000 for the simple right to make Liquozone—the American rights. The rights in other countries have sold for proportionate sums. We mention this fact to indicate the recognized value of Liquozone. Men have never before paid such a price for any discovery used in the cure of sickness.

Before we bought Liquozone we had it tested for years, through physicians and hospitals in this country and others. We had it employed in every stage of every germ disease; in thousands of the most difficult cases obtainable. For two years, in many a disease called incurable, we proved that Liquozone did what medicine could not do. That was the reason for its price.

How Liquozone Cures.

The greatest value of Liquozone lies in the fact that it kills germs in the body without killing the tissues, too. And no man knows another way to do it. Any drug that kills germs is a poison, and it cannot be taken internally. For that reason, medicine is almost helpless in any germ disease.

Liquozone is a germicide so certain that we publish on every bottle an offer of $1,000 for a disease germ that it cannot kill. Yet it is not only harmless but of wonderful benefit—better than anything else in the world for you. No one is so well that he cannot be helped by it.

The reason is that germs are vegetables; and Liquozone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetal matter. To the human body Liquozone is exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying—the most needful, the most helpful thing possible. But to germs it is certain destruction; and these facts are true of nothing else in existence.

Germ Diseases.

These are the known germ diseases; all due to germs or to the poisons which germs create. These are the diseases to which medicine does not apply, for drugs cannot kill inside germs.

All that medicine can do for these troubles is to act as a tonic, aiding Nature to overcome the germs. But those results are indirect and uncertain, depending on the patient's condition. A cure is always doubtful when drugs are used, and some of these diseases medicine never cures.

Liquozone alone can destroy the cause of these troubles. It goes wherever the blood goes, so that no germ can escape it. The results are almost inevitable. Diseases which have resisted medicine for years yield at once to Liquozone. "Incurable" diseases are cured by it. In any stage of any disease in this list the results are so certain that we will gladly send to any patient who asks it an absolute guaranty.

Asthma
Abscess—Anaemia
Bronchitis
Blood Poison
Bright's Disease
Bowel Troubles
Coughs—Colds
Consumption
Colic—Croup
Constipation
Catarrh—Cancer
Dysentery—Diarrhea
Dandruff—Dropsy
Dyspepsia
Eczema—Erysipelas
Hay Fever—Influenza
Kidney Diseases
La Grippe
Liver Troubles
Malaria—Neuralgia
Many Heart Troubles
Piles—Pneumonia
Pleurisy—Quinsy
Rheumatism
Scrofula
Skin Diseases
Stomach Troubles
Throat Troubles
Tuberculosis
Tumors—Ulcers
Fevers—Gall Stones Women's Diseases
Goitre—Gout

All diseases that begin with fever—all inflammation—all catarrh—all contagious diseases—all the results of impure or poisoned blood.

In nervous debility Liquozone acts as a vitalizer, accomplishing what no drugs can do.

50c Bottle Free.

If you need Liquozone, and have never used it, please send us the coupon below. We will then send you an order on a local druggist for a full-sized bottle—a 50c bottle—and we will pay the druggist ourselves for it. This applies only to the first bottle, of course—to those who have never used it.

The acceptance of this offer places you under no obligations. We simply wish to convince you; to let the product itself show you what it can do. Then you can judge by results as to whether you wish to continue.

This offer itself should convince you that Liquozone does as we claim. We would certainly not buy a bottle and give it to you if there was any doubt of results. You want those results; you want to be well and to keep well. Then be fair enough to yourself to accept our offer today. Let us show you, at our expense, what this wonderful product means to you.

Liquozone costs 50c and $1.

CUT OUT THIS COUPON
for this offer may not appear again. Fill out the blanks and mail it to The Liquozone Company, 458-464 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

My disease is ....

I have never tried Liquozone, but if you will supply me a 50c bottle free I will take it.

....

....

Give full address—write plainly.

Any physician or hospital not yet using Liquozone will be gladly supplied for a test.

KING VIOLATES AMERICAN LAWS

Agents of Ruler of Saxony Selling Lottery Tickets in the United States.

STATE DEPARTMENT MAY ACT

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 10.—Representations may be made to the German government concerning the use of the mails for the purpose of advertising and selling tickets for the Royal Saxon State lottery. Since Judge Thomas of the United States court in Brooklyn sentenced B. Barenberg of Brooklyn to pay a fine of $500 for selling tickets in the Saxon lottery, the government began a crusade against ticket agents for the lottery and the agents of the Saxon King in Dresden were forced to do business directly with clients. They sent out the following notice:

"The postmaster general having directed that no money shall be sent through the post to German lottery agents, we shall be obliged if you will remit by bank notes, checks, express orders or postage stamps, and not by money orders."

The bank in Bremen which is acting for King Frederick names a certain express company as its reference, together with all banks in Germany.

Although this is a plain violation of the United States laws, this government is helpless. The postoffice authorities can hardly go over to Saxony and drag King Frederick out of his palace on a warrant sworn out before Judge Thomas of Brooklyn, and they might have trouble in getting extradition papers, as the extradition treaties are not construed as having application to kings. Besides, it is rather hard to convict a man in the United States for an offense he has committed in another country.

It is said that the state department will call the attention of the German government to the violation of our postal laws and request that action be taken to stop it.

CALIFORNIA OFFICERS ARRIVE IN HONOLULU

Consult With High Sheriff on Death of Mrs. Stanford — President Jordan There.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HONOLULU, March 10.—David Starr Jordan, president of the Leland Stanford, Jr., university, Timothy J. Hopkins, a member of the board of trustees of the university, Capt. Jules Callundan, representing a detective agency of San Francisco, and Detective Harry Reynolds of the San Francisco police department, arrived here today on the steamship Alameda. Jordan and Hopkins said they had come to show proper respect to the memory of Mrs. Stanford, and to accompany her remains to San Francisco.

Dr. Jordan said that all the way to Honolulu he had hoped he would find on arriving that the death of the great benefactress was due to natural causes. Mrs. Stanford, in conversation with him, he said, made little reference at attempted poisoning at the Stanford mansion at San Francisco, January 14, and did not appear to think very much of it. Detectives Callundan and Reynolds are consulting with High Sheriff Henry and will later see Miss Berner, former secretary, and Miss Hunt, formerly maid to Mrs. Stanford.

The verdict of the coroner's jury to the effect that the death of Mrs. Stanford was due to strychnine poisoning is the subject of much adverse criticism here. Many persons declare evidence was lacking to sustain the conclusion.

THIS DECISION COSTS UNCLE SAM $5,000,000

NEW YORK, March 10.—Judge Wheeler, in the United States circuit court of appeals today handed down an opinion which, if finally sustained by the United States circuit court of appeals will cost the government $5,000,000. This money the government will have to refund to the American Sugar Refining Company, for duties paid to it on raw sugars imported from Cuba in 1903, and upon which the company contended a reduction of 20 per cent should have been allowed under the then existing treaty.

SCRANTON MAN ACCUSES HIMSELF OF ROBBERY

SOMERVILLE, MASS., March 10.—A man giving the name of Frank Burns, 34 years of age, of Scranton, Pa., walked into the police station here tonight and said he was wanted in New York for the larceny of a diamond brooch taken from a woman as she was leaving the Empire theater, New York, February 9 or 10, last. He says the brooch was valued at $4,000, but has not yet told the police what was done with it.

Erie Route to Be Changed.

FRANKLIN, March 10.—(Special.)—A director of the Erie railroad today stated it is proposed to eliminate all bad grades and curves between Salamanca, N. Y., and Greenville, Pa. Beginning at a point five miles west of Salamanca, the road will cross the Allegheny river to the south side and follow the river to Warren, Irvineton, Oil City and Franklin. From Franklin the road will take the route of the present branch to Shaws Landing, below Meadville, and then connect with the present main line west of Meadville.

Suit for $37,000,000.

NEW YORK, March 10.—A suit for $37,000,000 has been brought by the Johnstown Mining Company, a Heinz concern, against the Boston and Montana Mining Company, an Amalgamated concern, in the courts of New York state to recover the value of copper ores alleged to have been taken by the latter company from lands on which the other claims to have had prior location and patent.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—The three upper floors of the seven-story building at 1302-4 Filbert street were destroyed by fire tonight, entailing a loss to the owners and tenants of the structure of about $100,000. The insurance amounts to about $75,000. The Horn and Hardwart Baking Company occupied the first and second floors and small merchants the rest of the building. The origin of the fire is not known.

One Killed and Three Injured.

DEFIANCE, O., March 10.—In a rear-end collision between an eastbound passenger train and a freight, which was taking a siding at Mark Center on the Baltimore & Ohio railway today, Harry Cummings of Garrett, Ind., fireman on the passenger train, was killed and Engineer Harry Kamsen, a passenger whose name was not learned, and a porter on the passenger train, were seriously hurt.

No Hanging St. Patrick's Day.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., March 10.—Following the decision of the supreme court refusing to grant a rehearing to William Rudolph, convicted of the murder of Detective Charles Schumacker at Union, Mo., Gov. Folk today granted a respite of 30 days. Rudolph was sentenced to have been hanged on St. Patrick's day, but Irish Catholics protested.

Contest Awaits Court Order.

DENVER, March 10.—Further consideration of the Peabody and Adams gubernatorial contest has been postponed by the general assembly until Monday next, for the purpose of obtaining an opinion of the state supreme court, as to the right of the joint convention to declare a vacancy in the office of governor and the effects of such an action.

P. & L. E. Boston Special.

Pittsburgh, 6:00 p. m., city time. Fare $13.00. New Pullman equipment.

Going to Church Tomorrow?

If so, read the notices on the Classified pages today.

BULLOCK RANGERS INSPECT GOTHAM

Cowboys "Whoop 'Em Up," in Wall Street, Chinatown and the Bowery.

AWED BY WALDORF-ASTORIA

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 10.—Without waiting for Seth Bullock, who didn't get in from Washington until nearly noon, the remnant of his inauguration band of cowboys, 25 in number, left the Union Square hotel and toured the city in a big sightseeing automobile today.

Midway in their trip, they visited the stock exchange, where they arrived at 1 p. m., and before they got out of the Wall street district, they precipitated a small-sized riot. As the auto passed in front of the exchange building, the club brokers shouted in so many different keys that the men of the plains woke up, and, rising to their feet, gave a rich variety of cowboy yells.

Cab horses stampeded and the army of messenger boys raided the fruit stands and lunch wagons and began to pelt the plainsmen with oranges, bananas, ham sandwiches and bricks of ice cream. The cowboys laughed and yelled the louder as they dodged the fruit, and amid a confusion of plunging horses, excited venders, shouting brokers and "yip-yip-yipping" plainsmen, the auto passed down Broad street.

Had Plenty of Fun.

"They can't get away from us," was the refrain of Capt. Seth Bullock's men all during the sight-seeing trip. They declared they had more fun than even Washington and the White House and President Roosevelt's hospitality had afforded them. When the auto struck Chinatown and the Bowery, the boys were distinctly on earth.

Henry M. J. Mayham of Denver was their host today and he took them all to Lew Field's theater tonight. Most of the cowboys will remain in New York tomorrow to see more sights.

Early today, before the sun was out, the auto carried them to the Flatiron building and they went up to the roof. A tenant scraped acquaintance with a dozen of them and passed around his card, saying: "I'm on the sixth floor. Come in and see me. I'm from the west. I come from Ohio."

The Missouri river is as far east as most of Seth Bullock's outfit had ever been before their trip to Washington and they fairly roared at the Ohio man. When the auto was going up Broadway a tiny electric cab got in the way and a shout went up: "Get that maverick out! Where's my rope!"

Sighed for Their Ropes.

After that, whenever anwthing on the trip struck the men from Wyoming and South Dakota as new or strange, there was a cry: "I wish I had my rope."

The party was taken through the Waldorf-Astoria, and when they were shown into the state apartments a guide said impressively: "Prince Henry of Prussia and Li Hung Chang occupied these apartments."

"They didn't sleep together, I hope," snorted a cowpuncher from Belle Fourche. "Out in my country, the cellar is good enough for a Chink to sleep in."

The cowboys gazed at the grand ballroom with awe and wonder and for a long time there was no audible comment. Then the silence was broken by Col. Abe Holmes of Deadwaad, who remarked slowly, while the rest hung on his words: "Well, boys, this beats the Green Front." He referred to the most gorgeous dance hall in Deadwood.

MAKING HEALTH CRUSADE.

Cleveland Officer Ties Up Trolley Line Because a Car Is Dirty.

CLEVELAND, O., March 10.—The Scranton avenue line of the Cleveland Electric Railway Company was tied up for two hours today because a motorman and conductor attempted to take out a street car that did not meet the standard of cleanliness which the city health officer is putting in force, he having recently started a crusade on dirty cars.

The health board is considering an ordinance to limit the number of passengers that shall be permitted on board each car.

Successor to Whitelaw Reid.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Hart Lyman, long a member of the staff of the Tribune, has been made editor of the paper, succeeding Whitelaw Reid, the new ambassador to Great Britain. Donald Nicholson, connected with the Tribune for 35 years, retires at his own request from the managing editorship, and is succeeded by James Martin, who has been news editor since 1900.

Creditor Kills Head of Firm.

WICHITA, KAN., March 10.—J. C. Casey, head of the Casey Wholesale Mercantile Company, was shot through the head and instantly killed by James Oliver today. Oliver lost $23,000 in the failure of the Casey & Garst Mercantile Company a few months ago, and had demanded his money when the firm was reorganized.

Wants Ticket Brokers Enjoined.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Charging that the ticket scalpers of the United States have combined into a trust for mutual protection and promotion of the sale of of cut-rate tickets, officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company today filed a bill in the United States circuit court, seeking an injunction against 67 ticket brokers.

Robbers Start $5,000 Fire.

WILLIAMSPORT, March 10.—Robbers last night set fire to a warehouse at Muncy, Pa., near here, and that structure, together with the stores of Jacob Perrins and Lewis Smith, and two dwellings were destroyed. The total loss is $50,000.

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General Manager.

Spring Styles Ready

Drop in and look them over. Glad to show them even if you do not care to buy now. Want you to see how much better we can serve you with **correct and reliable clothing.**

Spring Overcoats $10 to $25
Tans and dark colors, in short box styles. Oxfords and Blacks in long styles.

Rain Coats $10 to $30
Blacks, Greys and Mixtures. Good for dry weather, too.

Men's Suits $10 to $30
New longer single and double breasted sack styles. New smooth greys, browns, blues and blacks.

Youths' Suits $8 to $25
Single and double breasted, nobby in every detail. Made especially for young fellows of 14 to 20 years.

Boys' Suits $2 to $10
New Russian, Eton, Sailor and Norfolk styles. New double breasted ones for boys of 8 to 16 years.

Tailoring Department
Choicest foreign and domestic fabrics made to your order in best manner at popular prices.

Spring Hats, Shirts, Neckwear

For the Opera
Dress Suits of unfinished worsted, silk lined, $35
White Vests, Dress Shirts, Gloves, etc. Silk and Opera Hats.

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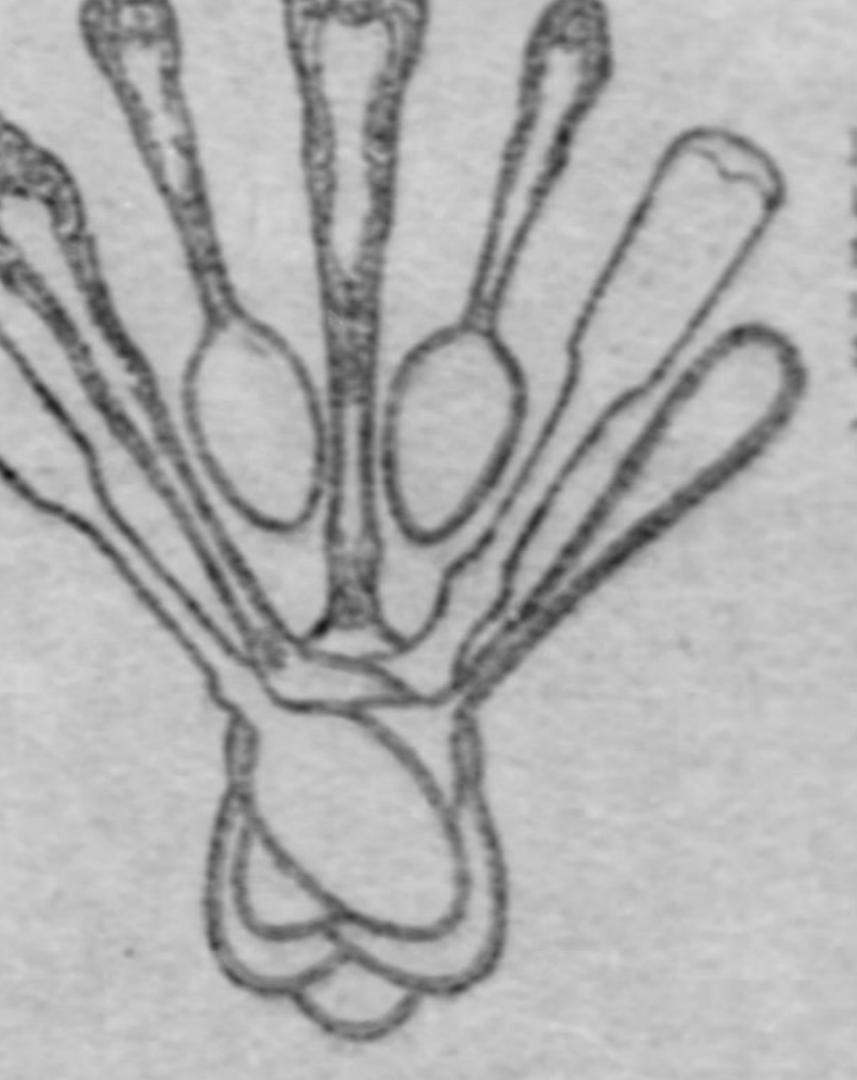

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Beautiful embossed patterns, like Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 in illustration. Handsome enough for anybody's table. New designs. Years of service. Worth $1.25 and $2.50. Set of six.
Teas, 85c Tables, $1.70
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Rogers' Nickel Silver Spoons
Beaded pattern as shown in No. 7 in illustration. Solid nickel silver. You know how they wear. Set of six.
Teas, 60c Tables, $1.20
54c Cash. $1.08 Cash.

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Tipped pattern, like Nos. 1 and 6 in illustration. One of the best spoons for overday use. Teaspoons $1.40 a set.
Teas.......................................**70c**
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Rogers' 1847 Knives or Forks
$2.15 for a Set of Six Knives or Six Forks
Unnecessary to talk quality, the brand tells you they are the best and this is the lowest price you've yet known. 6 knives or 6 forks for $2.15 on credit.
$1.94 Cash, or in 30 Days.
1847 Tea Spoons—Tipped pattern, $1.35 on Credit, $1.22 Cash.
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Good Luck Gas Range

Large baking oven with broiling oven beneath. Four gas-saving burners on top. Pilot light. Flue connections. Cast iron frame and oven plate. Full nickel trimmed. Value $17.50, for.....**$15.25**
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New principles throughout. Different from every other range. Oven doors open through the middle. New style burners which use about two-thirds air and one-third gas. Enameled inside and outside—can't rust and doesn't require polishing. Full nickel trimmed. Everyone guaranteed by the maker and by us.....**$24**
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We want you to see this Good Luck Gas Range if you want a good range at a low price. The oven door frames, supply pipe and name plates are nickeled. Four powerful top burners. Economical over burner. Flue connections. Cast iron oven plate.....**$19.75**
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Made with four or six top burners and with water coil.
Body either in sheet steel, asbestos interlined, or in cast iron. High power burners.
Prices
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Square ovens. Portable hearth shaker grate. Front feed. Back guard. Nickel edge, tea shelves and name plate. $16.20 Cash or 30 Days.

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Guiding Hand Is Necessary for Legislation Before the General Assembly.

FATE OF GREATER PITTSBURGH

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 10.

Until Senator Penrose arrives tomorrow morning it will not be definitely known whether he will be present at Harrisburg next week. The lieutenants of the state organization are most anxious to have the senior senator and Republican state chairman pay them a visit. He has not been at Harrisburg since the election of Senator Knox, and although his coming has been frequently scheduled, his duties at Washington have prohibited such a visit. There is this afternoon afloat a rumor to the effect that Mr. Penrose will not go to the capital next week. This is important, if true.

It is stated there is no legislation of necessary importance requiring an immediate visit. From an organization standpoint this is probably true. But there are now in committee and on the calendars of the senate and house a large number of local bills, the passage of which is largely dependent upon their previous approval by the senator. A delay of a week, or possibly a longer period, might be fatal to the interests of those who are urging these measures, but as the legislature will adjourn sine die April 13, delays are believed to be more or less injurious.

Pressure for Pittsburgh Laws.

There seems to be a disposition to regard as opportune a pressure for the passage of Pittsburgh legislation the coming week. Those who have in charge the Greater Pittsburgh bill and the new court bill have announced their intention of forcing action. Antagonistic to the Greater Pittsburgh proposition, Allegheny politicians desire a hearing next Tuesday. They will advance their biennial contention for delay, or for such legislative safeguards as will result in the failure of the desired consolidation. Mr. Murphy's bill was designed for this purpose. It will be the basis of a discordant howl for "home rule," and the granting to the citizens of the North Side an opportunity to decide whether or not they wish to become a part of the Greater City.

It now seems probable that Insurance Commissioner Durham will not return from Florida until near the end of the present month, and he may not come until early in April. Senator Knox is also absent, and it is not known when he will come north. This places the responsibility for direction of legislative affairs entirely upon the shoulders of Mr. Penrose. He, and he only, can make certain the passage of those bills in which the people of Allegheny county are so vitally interested. The senator, naturally, feels that his decision must be in harmony with the popular demand of the people interested, and his negative position thus far has been responsive to this thought. My information is that there is no material opposition to either of the pending bills for new common pleas courts. They may be passed next week and might have been passed this week had their sponsors insisted.

Clever Opponents of Greater City.

The Greater Pittsburgh bill is a different proposition. It is opposed by a clever coterie of politicians; men who are awake to political necessities and who have not and will not hesitate in the accomplishment of their purpose to part with a substantial amount of money. It is not necessary to spend cash to pass either of the Greater Pittsburgh bills. Possibly it is not necessary to spend money to defeat them. But their enactment is entirely dependent upon a more substantial political support than they have at this time received.

Committee from the chamber of commerce and allied commercial bodies, bringing with them facts, figures and popular petitions have and will continue to be received with perfunctory politeness. But it is not politeness that pushes along legislation. In matters of this kind the leverage is politics, and no matter how unpleasant the conclusion, it is safe to assume that a Greater Pittsburgh bill will not reach the governor unless the Republican leaders of Pittsburgh personally appear in support of such a measure. As the idea is non-partisan in character it would not be harmful.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

BETHANY STUDENT MADE VICTIM OF CRUEL HOAX

Initiated Into Fake Fraternity, He Was Unmercifully Hazed and Is in a Serious Condition.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., March 10.—Wade H. Stewart of Parkersburg was yesterday subjected to extreme humiliation by fellow students at Bethany college. He received an invitation to join a bogus fraternity, the Alpha Pi Epsilon, whose object has been for the three years of its existence to evade the anti-hazing rule.

Stewart accepted the invitation, and, it is alleged, was taken to an abandoned coal mine, where the mock initiation took place. He was terribly beaten, thrown into a deep pool of water and, after being rescued in a half-drowned condition, was dragged through mud for a quarter of a mile. He was later taken to Phillips' hall, a girl's dormitory, and in a half-dazed condition compelled to sing before the door of every girl boarder.

This morning, still ignorant of the dupe, Stewart appeared in the college halls, sick from exposure and fatigue. He was decked with the colors of the fake fraternity, black and blue, and wore short trousers. President Cramblett saw him and quietly informed him he was the victim of a hoax, then began an investigation. Stewart is in a serious condition tonight, and the authorities have secured the names of a score of his hazers, who may be expelled tomorrow.

COLLEGES WILL DEBATE.

Representatives of Western University and University of West Virginia Arrange for Oratorical Contest.

Through the influence of Chancellor S. B. McCormick of the Western university, Pittsburgh is to witness a revival of the custom of intercollegiate debates between the colleges and universities of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia, when on Friday evening, March 17, three students of the Western university will enter an oratorical contest with as many representatives of the University of West Virginia. The debate will be held in the Second Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, the subject to be: "Resolved, That the Present Tendency to Rapidly Increase the United States Navy Should be Condemned."

The Western university will be represented by Messrs. Renton, Wiese and Burtt; the names of West Virginia's orators have not yet been received. Invitations to friends of the universities and of the students have been issued, and West Virginia promises to have a representation of students and alumni to support the debaters from Morgantown. West Virginia has been allowed to select both the topic for debate and the side to be taken by their students, and has chosen the affirmative.

Another college having disappointed the West Virginia men by failing to keep a date for a debate at Morgantown, the consent of the Western university debaters has been secured to debate the same subject at Morgantown on Friday evening, March 31. At that time the sides of the question will be reversed, the local institution taking the affirmative.

DEATH SUMMONS ELLIOTT M'CALL

Prominent Live Stock Dealer and Horseman Succumbs to Illness at Hospital.

WAS THE FRIEND OF THE POOR

Elliott McCall, for many years one of the most prominent live stock men in the United States, and a brother of the Hon. Samuel W. McCall, member of congress from the Eighth Massachusetts district, died at 2:40 p. m. yesterday in the Allegheny General hospital. Mr. McCall was taken ill about three months ago with a complication of diseases, chiefly a liver complaint. Some time ago he was removed to the hospital for treatment, and last Wednesday Dr. Osler of the Johns Hopkins university of Baltimore, Md., was called to this city in consultation with Drs. Litchfield, Thorn and O'Neil.

During his career in this city Mr. McCall made considerable money, but he never tried to accumulate great wealth, and gave much to charity in his own way and unknown to all except a few friends. Being unmarried, he took time from his busy career to look into the wants of widows, orphans and others whom he found in need. Many residents of the East Liberty valley for years looked to Mr. McCall for financial help when sickness and want entered the household. For years his name has been a familiar one for charity in this city.

Elliott McCall.

Bred High-Class Horses.

Mr. McCall was the first president of the Pittsburgh Live Stock exchange, and he was also a member of the Philadelphia exchange and the National Live Stock association. As a judge of cattle his reputation was so high that he was frequently called upon to act as a judge at many of the principal live stock shows held in this country during the last quarter of a century. Mr. McCall was also a well-known horseman, having been the owner and breeder of some of the finest horses seen on a race track. His winter stables, for some years have been at Greensburg. He sold the famous mare Kate McCall to John D. Rockefeller for $11,000.

Mr. McCall was born in Chambersburg on December 13, 1842, and was a son of Henry McCall, who built and operated the first iron foundry in the west, the business being started in 1851 at Mt. Carroll, Ill. While Mr. McCall was still in early boyhood, his family removed to Mt. Carroll, where he attended a private school and afterward was graduated from the Mt. Carroll academy. For several years he assisted his father in the management of his farms and in buying and shipping cattle, and at that time received the training which made him a leader in after life in his business.

Enlisted as a Private.

In 1864 Mr. McCall enlisted as a private in the One Hundred and Forty-fifth regiment, Illinois Infantry. The regiment was assigned to detail duty until the following summer, when the men were honorably discharged at Springfield, Ill. While serving with the regiment Mr. McCall was one of the 100 men selected to guard the remains of President Lincoln in the Springfield cemetery. After the war he returned to Mt. Carroll, where he again became associated with his father in his farming and live stock operations.

Shortly after his return home Mr. McCall became a teacher in the school at Fairhaven, Ill. He held a high-grade certificate and was soon promoted to the principalship of the school. In after life Mr. McCall often recalled the trouncing he gave three rowdies in the school before the pupils were willing to acknowledge he was master of the situation. His determined methods won for him the respect and friendship of the pupils, and he soon placed the school on such a high plane that it was numbered among the best schools in the state.

Became a Member of the Firm.

Mr. McCall in 1868 came to Pittsburgh with a carload of horses. After disposing of them he decided to remain in this city. He became associated with the firm of Saddly, Havens & Company, at the old Central stock yards. He soon became a member of the company. From that time to his death he was an active leader among the live stock men of the United States. The firm of McCall, Newburn & Joyce is one of the best-known in the east.

For 35 years Mr. McCall made his home at the East End hotel, and during his residence in that section he took an active interest in politics, being for years a Republican leader in the East End. Although he had been proffered the nomination for mayor of Pittsburgh on several occasions, and other political honors, he had always declined, preferring to devote his time to his business. When the stock yards were removed to Herrs island Mr. McCall took up his residence in Ninth street.

Besides his brother, Congressman McCall, Mr. McCall is survived by a brother, B. S. McCall of Greensburg, and a sister, Mrs. Harry G. Sharpneck of Penn avenue and Putnam street, East End. His remains were taken to his sister's home yesterday and the funeral will be held from there. Mr. McCall's remains will lie in state in the Sixth United Presbyterian church, North Highland avenue, East End, from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. tomorrow. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. by the Rev. Dr. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the church, and the church choir will furnish the music at the services. Interment will be made at Homewood cemetery.

He was a life member of Pittsburgh lodge of Elks, captain of the McCall uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, and a member of the Knights of the Mystic Chain.

Bequest to Harvard University.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The will of the late James C. Carter bequeaths the sum of $200,000 to Harvard university. The value of the estate probably is more than $1,500,000.

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TWO FATALLY HURT IN A DUEL OVER A WOMAN

Victims Fought With Revolver, Stiletto and Butcher's Cleaver at Johnstown, Pa.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., March 10.—Frank Marillo, an Italian contractor of Portage, and Antony Meyer, an employe, were fatally hurt in a fight which occurred in a boarding house this evening. The two men had an altercation over Marillo's wife. It is said that the contractor arrived home from work and found Meyer with the woman. To defend himself Meyer seized a revolver and fired at Marillo. One shot passed through his stomach, while the other went through his head.

Marillo seized a stiletto and butcher's cleaver and Meyer was stabbed five times with the knife and his skull fractured with the heavy cleaver. An Italian sitting in the next room was shot in the head and is in a serious condition. Marillo and Meyers are in the Memorial hospital here, but their deaths are momentarily expected.

Another story concerning the difficulty of the two men is that Marillo ran away from Buffalo three months' ago with Meyer's wife, the later commenced a search and followed the two from town to town, arriving in Portage this afternoon.

Prairie Fire Causes Destruction.

ELLENDALE, N. D., March 10.—The most destructive prairie fire which has visited this section in years has just swept past this place. Many thousand tons of hay have been destroyed and hundreds of head of stock burned to death. Many farmhouses are in ruins.

To Take Control from Police.

NEW YORK, March 10.—At the close of a long session of the committee of nine today it was stated that the committee favors the establishment of a separate bureau for the regulation of the social evil, thus taking supervision away from the police.

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STRANGE, INTANGIBLE, UNSEEN FORCE OF MIGHTY POTENCY

That Cures When Doctors and Medicines Fail and Hope Is Gone.

HAS HE THE POWER DIVINE?

Ministers of the Gospel Say He Is Gifted of God, and Praise Him for His Help to Suffering Humanity—He Gives Service and Home Treatment Free to the Sick and Afflicted.

NEW YORK, March 9.—(Special Correspondence).—Seeing is believing, and witnessing the seeming miracles performed by Professor William Wallace Hadley makes one exclaim: "Is there a known limit to this man's healing power? Is there a single disease he cannot cure? Is there any case so hopeless that he cannot restore health?"

Probably no other physician in the world treats as many patients as this famous professor of panopathy and physiactrics. They come to him by scores and hundreds. The sick and suffering, the lame and halt, the consumptive and paralytic, the drug fiend and the drunkard, invalids from almost every known disease form an endless procession seeking health at his hands. And this wonderful man, this wizard of science, this great-hearted physician, receives them—treats them—cures them. Heals them of diseases pronounced incurable by the medical profession, cures them after they have been doomed to death by doctors, revives health and strength in the face of seeming impossibilities.

Not in the spirit of boasting or vanity, but in a quiet, calm statement of fact, he says there is no disease he may not cure; says it, and what is more, proves it. During a recent talk with this man who has revolutionized the theory and practice of medicine, he says: "Thousands of precious human lives are needlessly sacrificed every year by useless medicines and brutal surgery that kill oftener than they cure. All upright members of the medical profession know this whether they will admit it or not, and it is time that the general public was made aware of the facts.

"Cases have come to me that have baffled some of the best physicians in the country; where one doctor has said the trouble was with the stomach, another said heart, still another diagnosed kidney disease or something else. But in each case I was able to see the real cause and by removing it I restored the patient to perfect health. I have known stomach trouble to be diagnosed as heart disease, and heart disease as rheumatism, and countless similar instances. When these mistakes are made and the patient is treated for the wrong disease, how can the sufferer hope to get well? It is as if you tried to cure deafness by wearing eyeglasses. One is just about as sensible as the other. But I make a careful diagnosis of each case that comes to me and treat the real cause.

"I have discarded the useless drugs and medicines commonly prescribed by physicians and use a system of treatment that is as much superior to modern medical practice as the sun is to a candle. Now that I have perfected it after long years of practice and experiments I find that I have the power to cure my patients without their coming to me or my going to them. For instance, read this letter from the Rev. Samuel Sutton, an eminent divine of Williamsburg, Ky. You see he says: 'I feel thankful to God that I was directed to you for relief from my bodily pains and ills. I feel sure that our Heavenly Father has helped and directed you in working out the secret of power over disease. Your efforts must be accompanied by the Holy Spirit to accomplish such miraculous cures. I know and believe that there is nothing to equal your treatment for the release of suffering ones from pain, weakness and disease. I wish all suffering ones know its power to heal as I do since it cured me of heart and kidney disease, catarrh of the bladder and hemorrhoids. Dear doctor, I cannot find words to express my thanks to you for your kindness to me in ridding me of all my physical sufferings. My prayers are that others may do as I have done, write to you and get relief, and that you may be joyful in abundance on earth and in the world to come for your faithful search and your success in finding such a wonderful power that when your treatment comes in contact with disease, illness must give way to health.'

"My experience has proved that there is no disease I may not cure. I do not care how severe the case may be, how chronic, how long standing, what other men have said or failed to do, or whether the patient has been pronounced incurable or not, I am just as ready to cure consumption, cancer, paralysis, Bright's disease, organic weakness, deafness, any of the drug or liquor habits, and other so-called incurable diseases, as I am to cure stomach and bowel troubles, rheumatism, nervous prostration, blood disorders, catarrh or any of the other ills that human flesh is heir to. I have done so many times over. Without intending to boast, I may safely say that I treat more patients in a year than the average physician does in a lifetime, and among them are numbered many of the worst cases in the country. And I cure because I have at my command a power over disease so great that its extent can hardly be realized. Recently I received this letter from Mrs. C. M. Weston, of Barnegat, N. J., which will give you an idea of how many patients regard my power to cure: 'I am so glad to be able to tell you that I am well. I can hardly realize that I am cured. I had been told so many times by doctors that my case was incurable and that I could never get well that I was almost hopeless. Still, I always felt that if I could find a doctor who knew how, he could cure me, and I found him in you. Most doctors do not know how. I think they know a little about common diseases, but when it comes to the serious and difficult ones, such as mine were, they say they are incurable, and never learn anything about them. My restoration to health has surprised all who knew me. No one thought I was really being cured when I told them I was, but they see it now and cannot account for it. One of the doctors who attended me last winter was the most surprised of all, as he thought my heart trouble, complicated by bronchitis, asthma and catarrh of the stomach, would surely kill me before this. So you see how near death I was, and that you literally saved me from the grave. I also want to thank you for your personal interest and care of my case. Your kind words of encouragement did me a world of good when I was so weak. I am writing to all my friends who are ill, urging them to put themselves under your care, for I know you can cure them.' Another clergyman, the Rev. T. Horris, D. D., of Harwood, Tex., whom I cured of a complication of diseases, writes to me saying: 'I am much stronger and more active than I have been for years. I shall always thank God and you as His servant for the great benefits you have conferred upon me, and shall take great pleasure in recommending you as one of the most courteous, efficient Christian gentlemen whom I have ever known. I shall always hold myself ready to serve you as a beneficiary of your wonderful skill. Command me whenever I can serve you in anything. May God, our common Father, preserve you long in the land of the living.' I could go on indefinitely telling you of case after case similar to these, but these are sufficient to prove to any one that I have been able to restore health in the face of what seemed certain death."

"But how about those who cannot afford to come to New York to have you treat them?"

"It does not make the slightest difference. I cure them in their own homes just as easily and just as surely as if I went to them or they came to me. Distance cannot weaken the healing power I have. All that any one who is ill in any way, from any cause, has to do is to write me a letter, addressing William Wallace Hadley, M. D., office 1062 P, 2233 Broadway, New York, telling me the disease they suffer from most or their principal symptoms, age and sex, and I will send them a course of home treatment absolutely free of charge."

"Surely you do not mean that you give services and treatment free to any one merely for the asking?"

"Yes, I mean just that. I believe that as a Christian it is my duty to God and man to help all who are in need. When I have been given the power to cure I do not believe that I have the right to make any one waste his money on useless drugs when I can heal him without them. We all owe a duty to our fellow-men. We must all serve in one way or another. Where a rich man gives money I give health. I am not a millionaire, but I am able to afford to do my share toward relieving the sufferings of mankind. I am happy to give freely of my services wherever they are needed. And I am especially anxious to cure any poor mortal who has been told that his or her case is incurable, that there is no hope left on earth. Or any one who has grown weary spending money on drugs and doctors in a vain search for health. If they will write to me and accept my offer there is not only hope, but an almost absolute certainty that they need be sick no longer. And it is a blessing that my power makes a letter do just as much good as a personal visit."

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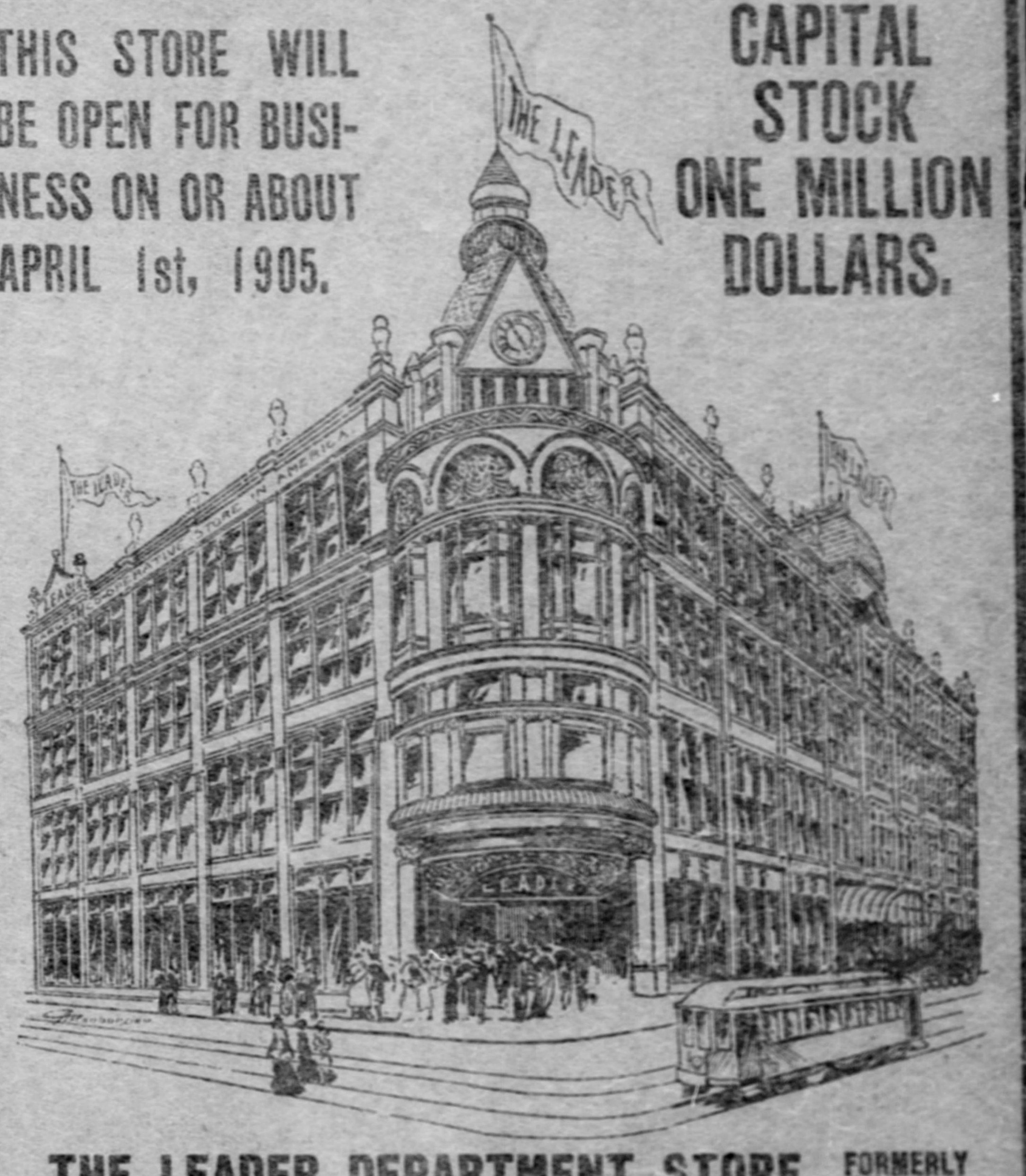

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A NEW SHERLOCK HOLMES STORY
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THE MEMOIRS OF A YELLOW DOG
O. HENRY'S BEST VEIN OF HUMOR
IN NEXT SUNDAY'S GAZETTE

YUKON HOCKEY PLAYERS ARE BEATEN BY PITTSBURGH SEVEN

PIRATE PLAYERS REPORT TODAY

All is in Readiness for the Training Trip and Party Will Be a Large One.

O'CONNOR ON CATCHING

This is reporting day for the members of he Pittsburgh baseball club. The train or Hot Springs will not leave the Union tation until 9 o'clock tomorrow night, ut President Dreyfuss instructed the layers to report on March 11, so that he vill have plenty of time to call the roll. The layers who are due here today are:

M. J. Lynch, who will come from Holyoke, Mass.; William Clancy of Utica, N. Y. "Chic." Robertaille of Cohoes, N. H., Thomas W. Leach of Cleveland, Henry Peitz of Cincinati, Samuel Leever of Goshen, O., Charley ase of Utopia O. Hans Wagner, Deacon Phillippe and Homer Hillebrand are already ere. Claude Ritchey, as usual, will not come own from Emlenton until an hour or so beore the train starts. Lindaman, Carisch, McBride, Howard and Goodwin will report at St. ouis Monday. In addition to the players, resident Dreyfuss and a quartet of corespondents, there will be at least half a dozen ittsburghers in the party.

Coach Yost of the Michigan University football team arrived from the east yesterday to ttend the banquet of the Michigan Alumni ssociation here last night. He called at aseball headquarters twice during the day. e says that the Pittsburgh team did not ake any mistake in signing Homer Hillebrand. Yost has seen all the Hillebrand boys lay and is a great admirer of Doc Hillerand's pitching, but says that Homer is the ost versatile college player he ever saw.

Ex-Pirate Jack O'Connor, who claims to ave retired from baseball, is predicting all inds of trouble for catchers this season. In n interview O'Connor says:

"There will be trouble in the catching departments of all baseball teams in the country is year. Green catchers will be all at sea is year, for you can gamble that every tcher in both the big leagues will be trying work the 'spit' ball. This is a thing that t a pitcher in the country can control with ny certainty, Chesbro notwithstanding.

"This ball is a tough proposition. It may ther drop straight down or may be an out r an in drop; it will be a drop in any case. ut which way it is going, I defy any pitcher state before he pitches.

"I predict that before the season is over he pitchers will be doing most of the signng for curves, when this shoot is in question. ll the catcher can do when he knows it is oming is to be prepared for anything, and hen do the best he can with it. I leave it anyone if this is a nice condition for minor eague catchers breaking into big league comany."

COE'S SHOT-PUT RECORD WILL NOT BE OFFICIAL

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—Secrery J. E. Sullivan of the record committee of e Amateur Athletic union of the United ates has examined the shot that Coe put at e Medford games when he made the new orld's record. The shot was not an official etal sphere, but a bag of buckshot, covered ith leather, and usually used for indoor pracce, and is not allowed when a world's record an American record is to be made.

Investigation also brought out that had the ot been a metal sphere the record would not ave been allowed, for at this meeting they d not have a wood or iron ring.

Coe himself was present at the examination. e feels confident that within the next few eks he will make a new world's record with e regulation shot and from the official seven circle.

Fairmont Side of Story.

The following communication is self-explanary. It is from the Fairmont hockey manger:

"The Fairmont hockey club begs to advise at the statement made by Manager Gaw of e Four As to the effect that the Fairmonts ined a victory over them on a fluky 1 to 0 absolutely incorrect. The Fairmonts claim, d so does the referee, that the goal shot by bensberger in the first was made after an offde play committed by Guenther. The offde play in question was made as follows: rashear of the Four As tried for goal, which ent wide of the cage, and Guenther, who as loafing off side, secured the puck and ade a quick pass to Ebensberger, who scored e goal. The referee blew his whistle, claim an off-side. After an argument, the teams sumed playing and the Fairmonts considered e matter as settled satisfactorily to the ur As."

MANAGER RALPH C. CHANDLER.

Claysville Wins Another.

WASHINGTON, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—he Claysville High school basketball team ept up its winning streak by defeating the ighth grade team 8 to 3. Hancher and olfe were the stars of the contest. After e game Wolfe was elected captain for next ear. Wolfe is an all-around athlete, having ayed halfback for the Claysville football am and captained the baseball team. Lineup:

High School—8.		Eighth Grade—3.
ancher	Forward	Lutes
ummel	Forward	Miller
olfe	Center	Sprowls
nley	Guard	Selby
apman	Guard	Duncan

Field goals—Hancher 2, Wolfe, Hummell, lby. Foul goals—Lutes. Referee—Lutton. me—20-minute halves.

Mercer Academy Wins.

MERCER, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—The ercer Academy Reserves defeated the Allars in a game which was clean from start finish. The playing of Anderson was one the features, he making some fine field als. Taylor, Bachop, McCullough and Gealy so played a good game. Lineup:

Mercer Academy—22.		All-Stars—9.
harton	Forward	Gealy
nderson	Forward	McClelland
cKay	Center	McCullough
aylor	Guard	Reed
chop	Guard	Downs

Substitute—Moreland for Downs. Field goals Anderson 6, Taylor 2, Gealy, McCullough. oul goals—Taylor 6, Gealy 3.

MATEUR BASEBALL GOSSIP.

The Rogers will meet at the residence of C. ech, 200 Shetland avenue, Sunday night at 30.

Ingram has April 28, May 6 and 27 open. Address James B. Campbell, P. O. box 162, gram.

The Currys have decided to play 14 and -year-old teams. Address Joseph R. Nick, 398 Herron avenue, city.

The Fisher A. C. of the South Side would e to hear from all good teams. Address illiam Fisher, 1700 Wrights alley, South Side.

The A. W. Burkes would like to arrange mes with all 15-year-old teams. Address illiam Eichel, 48 Main street, West End, ty.

The second team of the Ben Avon Field club ants games with all strong 16 and 17-year-old ams. Address Bayne Lautenslager, Ben von, Pa.

There will be a meeting of the Mt. Oliver A. Sunday, March 12, at 2 p. m. All 14 and -year-old uniformed teams are challenged. ddress Harry M. Peter, 218 Anthony street, Oliver station.

The Victoria A. C. last night elected the llowing officers: John A. Thompson, manager; Robert Ellis, captain, and Roy Dessel, easurer. Manager Thompson has his books en for all first-class 16-year-old teams. Address John A. Thompson, P. O. Box 62, Pittsrgh.

The Coal Valley baseball team has reorganed the following players: Catchers, orsythe and Galloway; pitchers, T. Granger d Savey; first, Wilson or J. Granger; second, alloway; third, Dugan; short, Hutton; left, leimer; center, Richardson; right, A. Granger.

The Casino A. C. of East Pittsburgh has anged its name to the Westinghouse Independent. Lineup: Kiernan, McLeigh, Rohey, ountain, McNeill, Parker, R. Coffeen, Driscoll and Fox. Would like to hear from such ams as Hickory and Cabinets. Address Dena McNeill, Box 194, East Pittsburgh.

Manager Donahue of the Westinghouse B. C. promises to have a fast amateur team. e has signed Goldstrong, Horn and Briggs, tchers; Conley, catcher, Lynch, Shaidle, McIntosh, Dixon, infielders, and O'Hara, Moore, illen, Davis and Young Kelley, outfielders. onahue will play first base and captain the am.

The S. Alpines lost last night and Abe sher was elected manager, and Finnell was pointed captain. The following players will seen in S. Alpine uniforms: C. Sable, A. sher, Al. Fisher, S. Price, M. Kaleky, B. nnell, S. Zadico, G. Braun and Fred Gluck. ny 8 or 9-year-old team desiring games adess Abe Fisher, 73 Elm street, city.

For a Shave Without a Wait
ll at Schuster's, Liberty and Smithfield.

EXPERIENCED BASEBALL MAN.

Jessie Frysinger, of Chester, Pa., Well Known on the Independent Circuit, Who Will Manage the Holyoke Club This Year.

ALLEGHENY HIGH SCHOOL HAS HARD SCHEDULE

Opens Season at Washington With High School Nine—From Other Places.

Allegheny High is to have the hardest schedule in its history for the season of 1905. Every date, up to the last few, is taken, and the open ones will soon be filled. Following is the list of games:

April 15—Washington H. S. at Washington.
April 21—South Side H. S. at Recreation park.
April 26—Pittsburgh H. S. at Friendship park.
April 28—East Liberty Academy at E. L. A.
May 1—Braddock H. S. at Braddock.
May 6—W. and J. Academy at Washington.
May 9—Tarentum H. S. at Tarentum.
May 12—Braddock H. S. at home.
May 17—St. Vincent College at Beatty.
May 19—East Liberty at E. L. A.
May 24—Shadyside Academy at Shadyside.
May 26—South Side H. S. at home.
May 30—Allegheny Preps at Millvale.
June 6—Pittsburgh H. S. at Friendship park.
June 9—W. and J. Academy at home.
June 16—Sewickley H. S. at Sewickley.

The open dates (June 6, 13, 20 and 23), will probably be taken by the following schools: Kiski second, Beaver College, Beaver High School, Wilkinsburg High, East Liverpool High School or Trinity Hall.

The Pittsburgh High school second five beat the East Liberty academy reserve team yesterday, 14 to 7.

The game was fast and clean. Chester played a swell game. The playing of Von Senden was also a feature. Ament, Robinson, Ramsey and Page also played a good game. The lineup:

P. H. S. II.—14.		E. L. A. II.—7.
Robinson	F	Stewart
Fellebaum	F	Young
Goss	C	Chester
Von Senden	G	Ament
Ramsey	G	Page

Field goals—Fellebaum, 2, Von Senden 4, Stewart, Ament. Foul goals—Robinson 2, Ament 3. Referee—Nickle. Timer—McIntyre.

The Pittsburgh High school baseball schedule, which was published in The Gazette some time ago, was given out yesterday. Rayen High school will be played at Youngstown on May 13, and St. Vincent College at Beatty on April 29.

As a result of an announcement from Cornell that the Ithacans will not send a crew to the Henley regatta, to be held on the Schuylkill river May 27, there is good reason for believing that the former friendly relations between the University of Pennsylvania and Cornell are very near the breaking point. The charge that will be preferred against Cornell by Pennsylvania is that the Ithacans have not kept their word to send a junior crew to meet a similar eight from Pennsylvania.

Princeton's baseball squad has been reduced to 27 men, to facilitate practice in the cage, where candidates will likely stay until the arrival of Jennings, the professional coach. The players retained are:

Zahnizer, Kidney, L. Doyle, Lewis, Young, Council, Forsythe, McLean, G. Walker, Watt, Cooney, Henry, Newcomb, Bard, Byram, D. Doyle, Reid, Helm, Wister, Bissell, Throckmorton, Huston, Cook, Gray, Martin, Fish and Harlan.

Paid coaches are to be abolished in the Cleveland public schools, that is if the high school senate has its way in dictating the athletic policy for the students of the five schools to observe. It is not likely that the senate will insist at once that the paid coaches be shelved.

The Pittsburgh High school team defeated the Allegheny High school five in a fast basketball game yesterday afternoon on the former's floor, 5 to 8. This is the first game of the season in which Pittsburgh has had its regular team, and its playing was a revelation to the High School supporters. Pittsburgh took the lead at the start and was never headed. The lineup:

P. H. S.—51.		A. H. S.—18.
Ralston, Van Gorder		Thompson
Lytle	G	Albrecht
Neudorfer	G	Hagmair, Wager
Henning	F	Penrose
Monroe	F	Robin

Goals from field—Ralston 4, Van Gorder, Lytle 8, Neudorfer 3, Henning 3, Munroe 5, Albrecht 4, Hagmair 2, Robin 2. Foul goals—Thompson, Robin, Ralston 13. Referee—Nickel.

Blake Lytle of the East Liberty academy baseball team said last night that East Liberty will play at Grove City college April 22 and at Slippery Rock Normal the day following. Braddock High School and E. L. A. were carded for April 22, but Lytle said it was not official.

At a meeting of Harvard men who have won their varsity H by competing on the four great teams, baseball, football, track and crew, an organization was effected for the purpose of welding together in a new way the hitherto disintegrated athletic forces of the Crimson university. The outlines of the organization were given by a committee composed of the four varsity captains, Randall of the baseball; Hurley of the football; Filley of the crew and Schick of the track team.

They provide for serial gatherings, which shall increase a spirit of democracy among Harvard's athletes, by making the men better acquainted with each other and thus giving them an esprit de corps which is altogether lacking at the present time. This spirit, it is held, is in a large degree responsible for the success which attends athletics down at Yale, where every one knows every one else, and they all pull together for a common end.

John Elliott of Leechburg returned to Grove City college yesterday. He plays first and captains the nine. Manager Guy McKinstey has arranged two trips. Grove City will play at California Normal May 9; at Waynesburg May 10; at W. and J. May 11-12; at Akron May 22; at Hiram college May 23; at Ohio Wesleyan May 24; at Dennison May 25; at Scio May 26; at Youngstown May 27. Twenty-eight games are on the schedule.

Chief Is Afraid of Knockers.

Chief of Police L. E. Rotzsch of McKeesport would like to permit Jack McClelland and Young Kid McCoy, the latter of McKeesport, to pull off their six-round bout in that city. The chief said yesterday that no permit for the event scheduled for the 17th had been granted by the police department of McKeesport, and that he did not thing one would be. "Personally I think it would be fine sport," said the chief, "but the knockers would be out in full force and the people wouldn't stand for it."

WHAT THE INDEPENDENT PLAYERS ARE DOING

"Bub" Lappy is home from Hot Springs.

Zanesville will play at Homestead May 1, 2, 3, and at McKeesport the next three days.

Harry Matz, the Allegheny third baseman, has signed with the Lancaster (O.) team.

Secretary George English says there is nothing in the report that McKeesport will lose its grounds.

Charles Maloy will return to play middle for Harrisburg if he does not come to terms with Brooklyn.

Jack Lewis, the South Side boy who plays a clever game on first base, has signed with the Ellwood City team. He was with Alliance, O., while it existed last year.

A York (Pa.) special says: Manager Heckert returned from Pottsville last night, where he went to transact business with Jack Titus and Thomas Owens. The two stars gave Mr. Heckert their assurance that they will play ball in this city during the coming season.

President Alexander Sturlith of the Wilmington A. A. baseball team has announced these players signed: Sweeney and Mathews, catchers; Bennett, Myers, Beckett and Neighbor, pitchers; Busser, first base; Mauch, second base; Maher, shortstop; Hinton, third base; Davis and Campbell, outfield.

Rent Lists
Tomorrow in The Sunday Gazette

FIVE FAVORITES ARE TRAILING IN THE REAR

First Attempt, First Choice, Is Left at the Post as Are Other Well-Placed Horses.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—At the City park track today only two of the seven favorites finished in front. Long shots were very much in evidence. The last race was spoiled by a bad start. First Attempt, the favorite, was left at the post and three others were as good as left. The track, though still very heavy in spots from the recent rain, is drying out rapidly. Summary:

First race, half mile—Ezra, 111, Gannon, 15 to 1, won; Lieber Gore, 111, D. Austin, 12 to 1, second; Gary, 118, Romanelli, 6 to 5, third. Time, :51.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Cincinnati Enquirer, 84, Cregar, 12 to 1, won; Fille, 87, J. Howell, 20 to 1, second; Bishop Poole, 96, Anderson, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:17.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Belle Indian, 167, D. Austin, even, won; John Lyle, 104, Romanelli, 7 to 2, second; Red Ruler, 107, Gannon, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:29 4-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Florizel, 102, McLaughlin, 8 to 1, won; St. Tammany, 107, D. Austin, 2 to 1, second; Nervator, 107, Troxler, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1-5.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Omealca, 100, Romanelli, 8 to 1, won; Lou M., 97, McLaughlin, 12 to 1, second; Eva Skill, 86, J. Hennessy, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:52.

Sixth race, 5 furlongs—Rudabek, 106, Bridwell, 8 to 2, won; Orderly, 106, Romanelli, 6 to 1, second; Gisbock, 101, G. Swain, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 2-5.

WHITE KEARNEY SHOWS HE IS THE CHAMPION

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—"Phil" Kearney of the New York Athletic club last night left no doubt in the minds of the spectators in St. Nicholas skating rink, that he is entitled to the metropolitan half-mile skating championship.

He won his heat, standing straight up fully half of the way, and led for the first four of the six laps of the final heat. Taylor passed him in the fifth lap, and then Kearney went to the front again and won.

In the race for the one-mile metropolitan championship the contest after the first six laps again resolved itself into a match between Kearney and Taylor. A gap of fully 30 yards separated both from the nearest competitor. In the lap before the last Taylor took the lead and held it by a mere two feet until within 20 yards of the finish, when Kearney fell and was unable to get up in time to secure a place.

Throughout the heats there was a continuous thud of bodies and skates against the sides of the rink as man after man fell. Of the dozen starters in each of the half-mile heats only three were on their feet at the finish.

A. Sarony of the New York Athletic club was thrown in both the mile and half-mile finals, when his chances looked the brightest.

Summaries:

Final half-mile—Won by P. Kearney (N. Y. A. C.); E. A. Toylar (Corona Lake S. K.), second; H. McDonald (N. Y. A. C.), third; time, 1:35 2-5.

440 yards (backward) pursuit race—Won by J. Matlan (Denmark); T. Maher (New York), second; time, :59.

Fancy skating exhibition by J. Davidson (New York).

One mile; final heat—Won by E. A. Taylor (Verona Lake S. C.); W. L. Smith (N. Y. A. C.), second; H. P. McDonald (N. Y. A. C.), third; time, 3:29 2-5.

ALLEGHENY COLLEGE HAS A HARD BASEBALL SCHEDULE

MEADVILLE, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—Manager Hotson's schedule for Allegheny college as approved by the athletic board, has been made known. It contains the names of some of the strongest college teams in the three states, including W. and J., Pittsburgh college, U. of W. Va., Oberlin and Western Reserves. All the games away from home will be played on one trip, beginning May 22, and continuing throughout the week, with the exception of the one with Westminster, June 3. The card:

April 27—Kiskiminitas at Meadville.
April 29—Westminster at Meadville.
May 3—Washington and Jefferson at Meadville.
May 6—Western Reserve University at Meadville.
May 13—Hiram college at Meadville.
May 16—Bethany college at Meadville.
May 20—Slippery Rock at Slippery Rock.
May 23—Pittsburgh College at Pittsburgh.
May 24—Washington and Jefferson at Washington.
May 25—Waynesburg college at Waynesburg.
May 26 and 27—University of West Virginia at Morgantown.
June 1—Oberlin college at Meadville.
June 3—Westminster at New Wilmington.

Allegheny Beats Syracuse.

Eager to avenge the recent defeat administered to Allegheny college by Syracuse university at Syracuse, the Meadville team trounced her rival here last night. Line-up:

Allegheny College—14.		Syracuse Univ.—11.
Rossiter	Forward	Redlein
Russell	Forward	Kircasser
Comfort	Center	Powell
Lewis	Guard	Houskneet
McArthur	Guard	Reel

Goals from field—Rossiter 2, Russell 2, Comfort, Lewis, Redlein 2, Kircasser, Housknect. Goals from foul—McArthur 2, Powell 3. Referee—Mayo.

Harvard Defeats Princeton.

CAMBRIDE, MASS., March 10.—Harvard defeated Princeton in the dual gymnastic meet tonight. Harvard scored 20 points and Princeton 28.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

Tonight at Perrysville hall the Perrysville will meet the Twin City team of lower Allegheny.

The Anteur A. A. five meets the Friendship five tonight on the former team's floor. All Anteur players are to report at the hall at 7 p. m.

The All-College team from Butler will oppose the champion South Side team at Odd Fellows hall, South Side, tonight. All the players on this team are from Butler but have played on college teams—Hayes of the University of Pennsylvania last season, Anderson of Bucknell, Williams of Allegheny college and Klinger of W. and J.

Trinity and Perrysville second team will clash this evening at the gymnasium of the Eighth U. P. church, Allegheny. This is the first game between these two teams. The following Trinity players are to report at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street at 6:45 p. m. sharp: Page, Birkhimer, Klocke, Chapman, Fay and Scott. Would like to hear from all 12-year-old teams having halls. Address William E. Scott, 2021 Colwell street, city.

FRAU SCHUMANN-HEINK HAD A REAL GOOD CRY

Was Permitted to Attend a Pittsburgh Orchestra Rehearsal and Enjoy Her Fill of "Real" Music.

Madame Schumann-Heink had a real good cry yesterday. It was music that appealed to and stirred her emotions, and after her tears had at last been chased away by her broad and hearty smiles, woman-like, she felt much better.

It all came about this way: In response to her earnest requests Conductor Emil Paur, of the Pittsburgh orchestra, consented to break for just this one time his cast-iron rule that no outsider be permitted to attend a rehearsal of his men. Madame Schumann-Heink spent the previous night with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Peacock, at "Rowanlea," their splendid home in North Highland avenue, but she was up betimes and was an early arrival at the rehearsal room in Carnegie institute.

A few minutes were spent in exchanging cordial greetings with members of the orchestra, several of whom are her personal friends. Then the great contralto went over in a corner and settled back for a season of rich enjoyment. There was only one work on the music desks for rehearsal and that the Beethoven masterpiece, the Ninth symphony. The players were soon absorbed in their work, and it was not until there was a slight pause for further explanation from Conductor Paur that it was discovered that Frau Schumann-Heink was in tears.

With many a broad German "Ach," and with smiles brimming through the tears, she explained that she had become so hungry for "real" music that she could not hold back tears of joy and delight over the grand harmony the players were bringing forth from their instruments. She declared it was one of the greatest treats of her life, and the compliment she paid Mr. Paur and his men were many and fulsome and marked by the most evident sincerity.

P. A. C. WINS FROM DAWSON CITY TEAM

Local Boys Shot Four Goals While Visitors Secure Three. Game Is Close.

WIND-UP COMES TONIGHT

The P. A. C. hockey team won the second game of the series last night from the Dawson City aggregation at Duquesne garden, 4 to 3, in a fairly interesting contest. The third and deciding game will be played tonight, which will be the wind-up for hockey in Pittsburgh for the season.

Manager McSwigan announced last evening that hockey in the garden would cease after tonight's game. The Interscholastic league will close also for the season. Shadyside and East Liberty will furnish the wind-up.

The P. A. C. seven last night shot the first goal, Koch, the "skate boy," negotiating goal after Taylor and Hendry had brought the rubber up the ice, Taylor shooting. Lannon tied the score on a shot from a scrimmage. The puck hit Ahl in the chest and caromed into the net.

Kendry and Ahl went up the ice, Hendry shooting the second for P. A. C. Taylor shot two more in the early stages of the second half, and then Kennedy got away with a lucky goal. The puck hit Donnelly's foot and went into the cage. Lannan followed this with another goal. Ahl and Williams put up a strong defense for P. A. C. Bright and Taylor did most of the rushing of the rubber. The line-up:

P. A. C.—4.		Dawson City—3.
Donnelly	Goal	Forrest
Ahl	Point	Johnston
Williams	Cover Point	Hannay
Koch	Center	Kennedy
Taylor	Forward	McLennan
Hendry	Left Wing	Fairbairn
Bright	Right Wing	Lannon

Goals—Taylor 2, Hendry, Koch, Lannon 2, Kennedy. Referee—Jack.

GOOD BOXERS MATCHED.

Business Men's Club Bouts Promise Some Lively Sport.

Tonight at their rooms on Fifth avenue the Business Men's club will hold their regular weekly boxing show. The program arranged is one of the best that has ever been put on at any of the weekly affairs, and there will be something doing every minute while the boys are in the ring. Young Jock Phenicie, the 105-pound champion, will meet a lad who is said to be able to take his measure in Frank Manuel of Penn avenue. The latter weighs a little more then Phenicie, but the latter does not mind that, as he has been accustomed to meeting boxers that have outweighed him.

Another contest that will please will be six rounds between "Tad" Griffiths, the Soho boxer who gave Patsy Brannigan such a hard contest last week, and Young Ziringer of Allegheny. Frank Walling, the boxer who met Jack Rowe last week, will meet Frank Diamond, and this ought to be a corking good go all the way. Jim Lavelle will meet Dave Cramer, and this also will be a contest that will be exciting all the way. Patsy Brannigan will very likely meet Harry Palmer in a six-round tilt. The show will start at 8:30 sharp.

PLENTY OF DEER.

Secretary of Commission Reports Lots of Large Game.

HARRISBURG, March 10.—(Special.)—"There are more deer in Pennsylvania this spring that during any previous spring in many years," said Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the state game commission. "The reason is that the people are awakening to the efforts that are being made by the game commissioners for the protection of game and are co-operating with its members." Dr. Kalbfus added, "They are getting out with their shotguns and their Springfields, and they are laying for those dogs that are chasing the deer."

Dr. Kalbfus cited one report which has been sent him from a neighboring county, 18 deer having been seen simultaneously feeding upon a hillside of a comparatively small area. This instance is simply a sample of what is being reported from all directions.

WILL MANAGE WHITE.

Tom O'Rourke to Have Charge of English Boxer.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—Tom O'Rourke, who will look after the interests of Jabez White, the English lightweight champion, and Jem Bowker, the champion bantamweight of the world, when they arrive in this country, has received a cablegram from Charley Mitchell stating that he and the two fighters had missed the steamer Oceanic, and that they would sail on the Cedric of the White Star line, which reaches this port next Wednesday. The Cedric sailed from Queenstown yesterday.

O'Rouke said that as soon as the two fighters reach here he will sign articles of agreement calling for championship battle between White and Britt and Bowker and Frankie Neil.

HARVARD WINS DUAL MEET FROM PRINCETON

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., March 10.—Harvard won the dual gymnasium meet with Princeton here tonight, 29 to 28 points.

In the Chess Tourney.

NEW YORK, March 10.—It was announced at the Manhattan Chess club today that the six games left unfinished in the telegraphic chess match between the Manhattan and Chicago Chess clubs have been adjudicated as follows:

Drawn: The games between Davidson and Uedemann, Baird and Jones, Simonson and Lee and Schwietzer and Taylor, the first named in each pair being the Manhattan player. Won: Pardee from Ettlinger and Jolinek from Hymes. The winners of both games are Chicago players. The final score of the match was, therefore, 9 points to 7 points in favor of the Manhattan Chess club.

Columbia Wallops Quakers.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—The Columbia five won the last championship basketball game of the intercollegiate series tonight, beating U. of P. 56 to 16.

MEANS NEW TRUNK LINE.

Rise in Chesapeake & Ohio Stock Is Due to Proposed Consolidation of Various Roads.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special.)—The sharp rise in the stock of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway on the New York stock exchange today, due to a very large purchase of that road's securities, is freely discussed here tonight by officials of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway.

The scheme as outlined by them is the consolidation of a number of short roads including the Erie, Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, Pere Marquette, Detroit Southern and Chesapeake & Ohio into another trunk line from New York to Chicago with an outlet to tidewater in Virginia, which will enable the Chesapeake & Ohio to reach the Great Lakes with their coal and at the same time prevent the cutting of railway freight rates by the small roads like the Pere Marquette and Detroit Southern in competition with roads now owned by the combination.

BRYAN PREDICTS DISASTER FOR KANSAS OIL REFINERY

MADISON, WIS., March 10.—On invitation of both houses Col. William J. Bryan today addressed the Wisconsin legislature. Senator LaFollette was present. Mr. Bryan characterized Mr. LaFollette as the first and foremost champion of reform in the Republican party in the United States. The speaker opposed the influence of corporations in politics, and he particularly scored the railroads. He predicted that the railroads would yet combine with the Standard Oil Company in Kansas to put out of business the state oil refinery.

W. & J. Debating Team Beaten.

ALBION, MICH., March 10.—The Albion college debating team tonight scored a victory against Washington and Jefferson college. The question was compulsory arbitration between labor and capital and the visitors had the affirmative side.

WELL-KNOWN OARSMAN.

Jim Dempsey.

He Will Coach the Vesper Crew of Philadelphia, Which Will Row on the Henley This Spring.

LIVELY BOXING BOUTS AT KEYSTONE SMOKER

East End Merchants Enjoyed the Work of Local Ring Artists—The Boxing Was Fast.

That boxing bouts are popular even in polite society was shown last night at the smoker given by the Keystone Bicycle club which was attended by some of the leading residents of the East End district who greatly appreciated the work of the boxers, which was of the liveliest nature. During the evening four bouts were held, and all of them were fast, but there were no knockouts and but little display of the brutal.

The opening bout was to have been for six rounds between Mike Madden and "Kid" Drennen, but it only lasted three, as Madden's solid punches proved too much for Drennen, who wanted to quit in the second round, but took a chance on three, and that was enough for him. Harry Palmer and Patsy Brannigan went six rounds, every one of which was fast and full of fight. The boys went at each other for keeps and a draw at the end would have been a just decision, although Brannigan was the aggressor all the way.

Frank Morgan and Tom Connelly put up an exhibition bout of four rounds which was greatly enjoyed, Morgan giving a clever exhibition of foot work and fast boxing. The final bout was between Dave Creamer and Frank Diamond, and as usual the bout between the pair was fast and of the slugging order, something that pleased the crowd. There were no love taps during the six rounds, and some solid punching was done. Diamond was the aggressor in this bout, but a draw would have been a satisfactory decision. The club will hold another smoker next month and some fast sport is promised.

KISKI FIVE DEFEATED.

Indiana Old Boys Win Second Game of Series—St. Clair Is Star.

INDIANA, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—The "Old Boys" basketball team won the second of a series of games for the Indiana county championship from the Kiskiminetas Springs school five here tonight. The game was fast and exciting. Each team had many friends in the large crowd, as B. McCreight, McGregor and Seanor of the Kiski five are Indiana boys. John St. Clair, center for the Old Boys, did excellent work, making six of the 11 field goals shot by the home team. Kiski won the first game of the series. The rubber will be played here next week, when the winning team will be given a loving cup offered to the county champions. Lineup:

Indiana—31.		Kiski—19.
McKalip	Forward	B. McCreight
C. McCreight	Forward	Gordon
St. Clair	Center	Seanor
Morehead	Guard	Davies
Gamble	Guard	McGregor

Field goals—St. Clair 6, McKalip 2, C. McCreight, Morehead, Gamble, McGregor, Seanor, B. McCreight 2, Gordon. Foul goals—Indiana 9, Kiski 9. Referee—Ross Daugherty.

AFTER CROOKED RACES.

Jockey Makes Known a Job at Ascot and Judges Take Action.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., March 10.—The judges at Ascot today handed down a ruling that will make owners more careful about asking jockeys to "place" horses in races for the benefit of certain books. P. J. Gorman, part owner in a stable now racing at Ascot; Gerald Evans, a bookmaker, and J. Costen, better known around race tracks as "Diamond Joe," were ruled off pending such investigation of charges made by Jockey M. Lynch. Lynch sent for Judge Hamilton before the race in which he was to ride Sinner Simon last Tuesday, and told the judge that Gorman had approached him with an offer of $100 if he would keep Sinner Simon from finishing "in the money."

Judge Hamilton instructed Lynch to say nothing, but to ride the horse to the best of his ability. In the meantime Evans' book was laying top prices against Sinner Simon and taking all the money offered. Sinner Simon won, and the book, whose sheet was sent for by the judges, showed that whereas it had expected to win $3,125 by keeping Sinner Simon out of the money, really lost $2,100 on account of the horse's victory. Neither Bauer, Gorman's partner, nor Trainer Davis is implicated in the alleged crookedness.

Germans to Visit Sharon.

SHARON, PA., March 8.—(Special.)—The Buhl basketball team will meet the Buffalo Y. M. C. A. five of Buffalo, N. Y., in this city next Saturday evening. This will be the second visit of the Germans to Sharon.

Yale Wins Wrestling Match.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., March 10.—Yale defeated Columbia in their second wrestling contest tonight, winning three matches to the latter's one. One match was a draw.

OREGON MAN SHOT TO OBTAIN HIS INSURANCE

Wounded Man Makes Charge Against Companion—Wrote Letter to Indicate Suicide.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

COTTAGE GROVE, ORE., March 10.—In the mail of the city marshal of this place yesterday was a letter purporting to be written by John Fletcher, stating that the writer was tired of life and had decided to commit suicide and telling the marshal where to find the body. Fletcher was found as indicated with a bullet wound in his head, but alive.

Developments tend to show that he was shot by John Branton, who, it is said, wrote the letter, the crime being for the purpose, it is alleged, of getting life insurance of $3,000, payable to Branton at Fletcher's death. Branton, while walking along the road, it is claimed, borrowed Fletcher's revolver on the pretext of wanting to kill a wild animal. Then, according to Fletcher's sworn statement, turned the weapon on the latter.

After having shot Fletcher Branton tried to induce the wounded man to say that he had shot himself. This Fletcher refused to do, and later swore to an affidavit charging Branton with the shooting.

MILLVALE BOY KILLED BY A TRACTION CAR

Hyde K. Sample, aged 14, son of Harry E. Sample, was killed by an outbound Millvale car last evening about 7 o'clock. The boy was playing on Grant avenue, Millvale, when the car struck him, mutilating the body and killing him instantly. The motorman, Harry Thompson, said he did not see the boy. The boy's parents live in Evergreen avenue, Millvale.

BEAVER COLLEGE BEATEN AT HOME

Manchester Passers Take Well-Played Game by the Score of 35 to 20.

LARGE CROWD SEES FUN

The Manchester basketball team went to Beaver, Pa., last night and had a fast and exciting basketball argument with the Beaver college boys in the college gymnasium, and at the conclusion of it the score book showed that the Allegheny team was 15 points to the good, the score being 35 to 20. The game was the fastest exhibition ever seen in the college gymnasium, and kept the large crowd on nettles from beginning to end. Quite a number of the college girls were in attendance and they rooted for their school-boy chums. In the first half, and especially in the early part of the half, they had their best chance to make a noise, as the collegians took the lead and pushed to the front by six points, but before the half had ended the visitors had tied the score all but one point, the half ending 14 to 13. Manchester threw for the poor basket in this half and did very well to get as many points as they did. Lineup:

Manchester—35.		Beaver College—20.
Patterson	Forward	Gardiner
Tannehill	Forward	Chambers
Metskee	Center	Seaman
Graham, Burry	Guard	Banfield
Walliser	Guard	West

Goals from field—Tannehill 6, Patterson 2, Walliser 2, Metskee, Burry, Gardiner 3, Chambers 2. Goals from foul—Gardiner 10, Tannehill 5, Graham 3. Fouls called—On Manchester 18, on Beaver College, 17. Referee—Mohr. Timer—W. Roth. Scorers—Burry and Graham.

BOWLERS WERE BUSY.

Electric and Braddock Teams Won Their Games by Clever Work.

The Westinghouse Electrics and the Clover club teams met in the Wilkinsburg alleys last night, when the latter won two games out of three. Flanders made the highest score, 222, and an average of 190 2-3. Scores:

Westinghouse Electrics—			
Bell	152	122	...
Kreauter	137	...	134
Wirth	161	168	181
Loos	181	187	203
Mansfield	173	178	167
Monheim	...	174	136
Totals	820	819	821
Clover Club—			
Doane	160	190	172
Fletcher	134	167	186
Flanders	179	222	170
Schumaker	151	150	178
Engle	152	166	142
Totals	776	905	858

The North Braddock bolwers took three games from the East Liberty team on Seng's Braddock alleys last night. August Seng rolled high score of 212 and high average of 197. Scores:

North Braddock—			
Higgins	178	172	192
A. Seng	181	212	196
McCabe	160	151	159
Flick	141	161	172
W. Seng	208	153	164
Totals	873	849	883
East Liberty—			
Malibank	172	153	166
Seibel	168	192	161
Cremer	175	155	187
Keller	200	138	124
Myers	136	138	197
Totals	851	776	850

On the Great Eastern alleys in the East End last night the Macarel club of the East End defeated the Kofoma club of Coraopolis three straight games. The scores:

Kofoma club—			
Morgan	143	109	112
Findley	171	147	134
McMasters	124	127	134
Snedden	136	137	167
Laughner	154	185	136
Totals	708	709	679
Macarel club—			
Maddox	162	161	115
Beck	126	109	162
Offinder	160	198	198
Youngson	140	145	153
Geddis	133	149	128
Totals	721	801	684

ST. CLAIR IS WANTED BY BASEBALL MANAGERS

Paul St. Clair of Indiana, who came into prominence as a catcher on the Normal nine of that place and who caught on the Interscholastic nine of Pittsburgh last year, is wanted by minor league and independent managers. The Atlantic City club wants him for the coming season and the management of the Norwich (New England league) club has made him a good offer. St. Clair is a fine batter and knows the game well. He is now a student in the Medico Chi college of Philadelphia.

Irwin Five Is Beaten.

IRWIN, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—The Marquettes of Pittsburgh proved too strong for Irwin this evening and won easily in something of a slugging game. Lineup:

Irwin—11.		Marquettes—20.
Fulton	Forward	W. McClarren
Miller	Forward	Welch
Thompson	Center	Brady
Gallagher	Guard	E. Gallagher
Jones	Guard	McClarren

Substitutes—Davis and Dias for Gallagher and Miller; W. Doyle for E. Gallagher. Field goals—Welsh 2, W. McClarren 3, Gallagher, Fulton 2, Jones, Brady. Foul goals—Fulton 5, Brady 6. Referee—Naylor.

Balks at Moyer's Figures.

SHARON, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—Jules Moyer, manager of the Sharon Independent baseball team last season, says that he is willing to make a deal with the Carnegie Steel Company for the grandstand and fence at Independence park, and will not remove them in 10 days, although he has not been notified by James Clark, owner of the park, not to do so. Moyer says that the grandstand and fence cost him $1,600 and that he will sell for $900. The Carnegie steel officials refuse to pay the price Moyer asks.

Road House for the Autoists.

The Allegheny County Automobile club, composed principally of autoists of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, has purchased the Hotel Hoffman at Wildwood place, near McKeesport, for $18,000, and will spend about $15,000 more in improving the hostelry. The former manager, James Maxwell, will retire and the club expects to take charge about April 1.

Knox Had Best of Rowland.

ALTOONA, March 10.—(Special.)—In six rounds of the most terrific fighting ever seen in this city between little man, Jack Rowland of Philadelphia found more than his match in Charley Knox, the colored fighter of Altoona. Rowland failed to display his old-time form, and for three rounds was used as a chopping block for the colored fighter.

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THE GREAT BENCH SHOW NEARS END

Today Dogs Decorated With Ribbons Will Be on Benches for Final View.

MORNING GIVEN TO CHILDREN

Duquesne Kennel club's seventh annual bench show will conclude today. It is the club's best effort and has proved a record breaker in every way. Society has made much of it and at the same time it has struck a popular chord which promises even bigger things for next year.

The day was given to judging the leftover regular classes of Thursday, but the afternoon contained the real feature of the show as it brought before the judges the variety classes, practically all the winners in the regular classes of the previous days, besides the judging for the big specials which still further drew in the circle of quality. The dogs have had their day in the ring and today they will be on the benches for final view, all the winners being pointed out by placards and ribbons. This morning children will fill the hall as provision has been made for their reception.

Ch. Colonel Monte, the great Boston terrier, beat all other champions in the variety classes with a Pittsburgh dog, Ch. Leeds Buckstone, a beagle owned by the Leetsdale kennels, second. For the opposite sex York kennels, Ch. York Sceptre, an Airedale, captured the same honors.

Straight Tip Stood Alone.

In the open variety class the great Irish terrier, Straight Tip, won first honors and then came back in the special for the best dog in the show and beat everything pitted against him, thus beating Ch. Colonel Monte, the best dog in the New York show. This is the first time Straight Tip has been shown in this country. Mrs. F. Senn's Ch. Madam Patti beat all toys, with Mrs. F. S. Stedman's Ch. Shadyside Billy, second.

Sabine Refusal and Sabine Reynard, fox terriers, was the best brace, being placed over the great Airedales Ch. York Scepter and Ch. York Masterpiece, and the Boston Ch. Colonel Monte and Lady Anthony.

In the team of four variety class Sabine Reynard, Sabine Ruler, Sabine Refusal and Ch. Sabine Victory were first, with the chow chows Black Cloud, Light of Asia, Elephant's Child and Chop Sticks, second.

Local dogs captured nearly everything in sight in the specials. Mrs. W. F. Render's Lady Danby, a Pomeranian, won the Grogan cup for best in the novice classes owned and exhibited by a lady of Allegheny county, while her Lady Newby, also a "Pom" walked away with the Seaver S. Leslie, Jr., handsome trophy for best non-sporting dog or bitch owned by a resident of Pittsburgh or Allegheny. Charles Gibbs Carter's Avon kennels won special after special, as did also his great English setter, Avon Ensign.

Mrs. Stedman's Victory.

Mrs. F. S. Stedman's Ch. Shadyside Billy, a "Pom," carried off the J. G. Bennett prize for the best toy exhibited by a lady resident of Pennsylvania, west of Altoona.

In the regular classes judged Mayor Hay's Silsden Jack was reserved to John W. Coggeshall's Badger in the Airedale class. Barkerend Victoria was pronounced the best bitch of the breed. Southport Pendragon was awarded the best collie dog and Thorndale Baroness the best bitch. F. G. McIntosh of Franklin got reserve with his Eclipse Betsy in the cocker spaniel class to Mepal's Hilma. Gold Heels was the best cocker and Norwood Adam the best Clumber.

Some sales were reported. Ben. F. Lewis sold the English setter, Lansdowne King Edward, to Seymour P. White, secretary of the Buffalo Kennel club, and bought in his place W. S. Pierce's pointer bitch, Belle T. Wilson Barnard sold five beagles, a fox terrier and a fox hound.

Afternoon awards, variety classes:

Class 1—Champion dogs, won by Myron W. Robinson's champion Col. Monte; second, Leetsdale kennels' champion Leeds Buckthorn.

Class 2—Champion bitches, first, York kennels' champion York Sceptre; second, Sabine kennels' C. Sabine Victory; third, B. F. Lewis, Jr.'s champion Lansdowne Halstream.

Class 3—Open, dogs and bitches, except toys, Gifford A. Cochran's Straight Tip; second, Sabine kennels' Sabine Ruler; third, Joseph Lewis' Maliwyd Countess.

Class 4—Open, toy dogs and bitches, Mrs. F. Senn's champion Madame Patti; second, Sandyside kennels' Shadyside Billy.

Class 5—Brace, first, Sabine kennels; second, York kennels; third, Rob Roy kennels.

Class 6—Team of four, first, Sabine kennels' smooth fox terriers; second, Blue Dragon kennels' chow-chows; third, Charles Gibbs Carter's English setters.

Class 7—Breeder's class, first, Sabine kennels' Sabine Reynard; second, Charles Gibbs Carter's Avon Ensign; third, Blue Dragon kennels' Night of Asia.

Special—Best team of Boston terriers, Myron W. Robinson's champion Colonel Monte and Lady Anthony.

Specials:

Duquesne Kennels club's trophy for best dog in show won by Clifford A. Cochran's Straight Tip, an Irish terrier.

Same club's cup for best brace of sporting dogs won by Sabine kennels.

Same club's prize for best brace of non-sporting dogs won by York kennels' Airedales.

Same club's trophy for best brace shown by lady won by Miss Frances A. McCahill, wire-haired fox terriers.

J. G. Bennett prize for best toy dog exhibited by lady resident of the state of Pennsylvania west of Altoona won by Mrs. F. S. Stedman's Shadyside Billy.

Sportsmens Supply Company's cup for the best dog in sporting classes won by Sabine kennels' Sabine Refusal.

J. C. Grogan's cup for best novice owned and exhibited by resident of Allegheny county won by Mrs. W. F. Render's Lady Denby, a Pomeranian.

Saever S. Leslie Jr.'s cup for best non-sporting dog or bitch owned by resident of Allegheny county won by Mrs. W. F. Render's Lady Newby, a Pomeranian.

Charles O'Brien & Co.'s cup for best exhibit by resident of Allegheny county won by Charles Gibbs Carter.

Pennsylvania State Field Trial association's cup for best kennel of four sporting dogs won by kennels of Charles Gibbs Carter.

Englewood Kennel club's cup for best dog or bitch owned by member of the Duquesne Kennel club won by Charles Gibbs Carter's Avon Ensign, an English setter.

Englewood Kennel club's cup for best dog or bitch owned by a member won by Myron W. Robinson's champion Colonel Monte.

Canonsburg Kennel club's cup for best dog owned by member of the Duquesne Kennel club, a resident of the state, won by Charles Gibbs Carter's Avon Ensign, an English setter.

Morning awards:

Class 61—Field spaniel, novice, dogs and bitches, first, Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Queen.

Class 62—Field spaniels, limit, dogs and bitches, first, Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Queen.

Clas 63—Field spaniels, open, dogs and bitches (black), first, S. Crozier Robinson's Wealdstone Planet.

Class 64—Field spaniels, open, dogs and bitches (any other color), first, Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Judge; second, Saybrooke Queen.

Class 65—Field spaniels, winners, dogs and bitches, first, S. Crozier Robinson's Wealdstone Planet; reserve, Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Queen.

Specials—Sporting spaniels. American Spaniel club prizes for best field whelped after January 1, 1903, bred by exhibitor, won by Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Queen; same conditions for best parti-colored cocker spaniel, won by Mepal kennels' Mepal's Hilma; same for solid color, other than black, won by George Douglas' Fanny C.; same for best bred by exhibitor won by Mepal kennels' Mepal's Hilma; for best Clumber, won by Norwood kennels' Norwood Adam; for best, other than black, field spaniel, won by Rowland P. Keasbey's Saybrook Queen; for best black cocker dog, won by George Douglas' Financier; for best black cocker bitch, won by Mepal kennels' Mepal's Dagmar; Spaniel Breeders' society prize for best sporting spaniel other than cocker, bred by exhibitor, won by S. Crozier Robinson's Wealdstone Planet; for best cocker bred by exhibitor, won by Mepal kennels' Mepal's Hilma.

Collies, rough:

Class 84—Puppies, dogs, first, John W. Furnee's Dicksonia; second, Mrs. D. E. Gardner's Ravenswood Telfair.

Class 85—Novice, dogs, first, Charles Reinke's Bon Ami Dexter; second, Mrs. D. E. Gardner's Ravenswood Rocksand.

Class 86—Limit, dogs, first, Revere Collie kennels' Southport Pendragon; second, Charles Reinke's Bon Ami Dexter; third, T. S. Griffith's Glen Tana Bounder.

Class 87—Rever Collie kennels' Southport Pendragon; second, Charles Reinke's Bon Ami Dexter; third, T. S. Griffith's Glen Tana Bounder.

Class 88—Winners, dogs, Revere Collie kennels' Southport Pendragon; reserve, Charles Reinke's Bon Ami Dexter.

Class 89—Puppies, bitches, first, Daniel G. Trench's Thorndale Baroness; second, Gwynhurst Collie kennels' Winnetka Ballyarne; Dorothy.

Class 90—Novice, bitches, first, Daniel G. Trench's Thorndale Baroness; second, M. Mowbray Palmer's Rippowams Renown.

Class 91—Limit, bitches, first, Daniel G. Trench's Thorndale Baroness; second, M. Mowbray Palmer's Rippowams Renown; third, Mrs. D. E. Gardner's Ravenswood Ideal.

Class 92—Open, bitches, first, Daniel G. Trench's Thorndale Baroness; second, M. Mowbray Palmer's Rippowams Renown; third, Edgemont Springs Kennel club's Craigmore champion Constitution.

Class 93—Winners, bitches, first, Daniel G. Trench's Thorndale Baroness; reserve, M. Mowbray Palmer's Rippowams Renown.

LARKIN GOING AWAY.

Wants to Get Rid of Cold Contracted uring Campaign.

Controller John B. Larkin has not yet recovered from a cold he contracted during the last days of the campaign, and intends to go away next Monday. If he listens to the urgings of Assistant Controller E. S. Morrow he will remain away for two or three weeks at least.

The controller will go to Atlantic City, where he hopes the sea breeze and sun parlors will get the cold out of his system.

PITTSBURGHER TOASTMASTER AT W. & J. BANQUET

WASHINGTON, PA., March 10.—(Special.)—The annual banquet of the Franklin and Washington Literary society of W. and J. college was held tonight. Winfield S. Walsh of Pittsburgh was toastmaster. A feature was a toast by John P. Blanco, a native of Porto Rico, who is a W. and J. student. Among other members who responded were Thomas C. Martin, Pittsburgh; R. H. Lindley, Prosperity; D. W. Donaldson, Huntington, W. Va.; D. L. Sutton, Pittsburgh; J. C. Matteson and P. R. Harvey, Washington.

WILL NOT ADD TO BLACK MAN'S BURDEN

NEW CASTLE, March 10.—(Special.)—The Rev. R. W. Christian, pastor of St. Luke's A. M. E. church of this city, will escape a church trial for immoral conduct upon the report of a committee appointed by the presiding elder of this district, the Rev. G. W. Lewis of Pittsburgh. The negro pastor has lectured on "The Black Man's Burden" in many churches and schools throughout Western Pennsylvania.

SUES MEN WHO CHARGED HIM WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special.)—Frank E. Davidson, tried and acquitted at the last term of criminal court on a charge of embezzling funds belonging to a local brewery union, today commenced suit against Frank Anderson, John R. Carl, James Rutan, Frank Bullock, John Hunt, James Mounts, Joseph Jones and William Zollars, members of the union who prosecuted the case against him, for $10,000 damages.

PLUMMER'S NAME IS NOT ON THE BALLOT

ALTOONA, March 10.—(Special.)—The Blair county Republican primary election will take place tomorrow. The name of J. Lee Plummer does not appear on the ballot as a candidate for the nomination of state treasurer. This is Plummer's home county and it was generally supposed he would want a popular indorsement here by Republican voters.

Held on Suspicion.

Joseph Wright of 37 Tannehill street is in the Center Avenue station on suspicion of being the man who has been stealing lead from the Allegheny County Light Company. Several parties have been arrested for this offense and discharged for want of evidence against them. Policeman William Boarman arrested Wright last evening and claims he has the real culprit.

Indiana Ex-Senator Indicted.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 10.—The Marion county grand jury, which has been investigating the charge of bribery made in the recent session of the legislature against former Senator O. A. Baker, returned an indictment against him this afternoon. Baker's whereabouts are still unknown.

Unprecedented Excursion Travel Is Foreshadowed for This Year

Statements made by the city and traveling passenger agents of both local and foreign lines having offices in Pittsburgh, indicate the coming summer will probably see a larger number of persons from this territory taking advantage of reduced rate excursions than ever before. It is stated also the same expectation is held by the representatives of the railroad companies in other territories, and the belief is strong that some new records in the way of passenger earnings are assured for 1905.

It can be stated that in no former year have the soliciting passenger agents been so actively engaged in their work as this season. This is the time of the year when organizations, large and small, are planning to make their summer trips. Some will form parts in the larger movements of state, national or international societies of many kinds. Some are merely local institutions. All, however, seem to be convinced that the summer will be one of such material prosperity that there will be very large numbers to enjoy the trips. The oratorical abilities of the passenger agent is being tested to their utmost these nights before excursion committees.

The Mexico and Cuba business of the railroads is very satisfactory this season. One of the most remarkable features of this travel has been the rapid growth of the Cuba business. The railroads, alive to this fact, are providing the fine equipment which it demands and some handsome illustrative matter is being published. An instance of this is the new "Cuba" booklet of the Wabash. The travel to Cuba has been large for many years, but its present proportions did not begin to appear until at the conclusion of the Spanish-American war. Each year has added to this travel.

Goodyear Line's New Extension.

The gradual approach of the Buffalo & Susquehanna, the Goodyear line, into this district goes steadily forward, one plan after another being announced that strengthens the position of this ambitious little road. Chief Engineer H. Herden announces that grading will begin April 1 on the line from Juneau to Plumville, which will be 20 miles long and will be built under the charter of the DuBois Southwestern. The Buffalo & Susquehanna has made a trackage arrangement with the B. R. & P. for rights over the latter line from Stanley to Juneau, 16 miles. At Plumville it will tap its coal fields.

Wabash Enters Trunk Line Territory.

The March folder of the Wabash railroad shows the nose of that system pushed forward at last into trunk line territory. The famous command, "Thou Shalt Not Go East of Pittsburgh," hurled by the community of interests at George J. Gould and President Ramsey, is defied. To the full extent of 20¼ miles the Wabash is in trunk line territory. This eastern line is the West Side Belt and Clairton is its terminus. The folder of the Wabash for the first time includes the entire system, with full Wheeling & Lake Erie, Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal and West Side Belt schedules.

New Draft Gear to Absorb Jars.

An improved draft gear with 125,000 pounds spring capacity, about six times that of the ordinary day coach, is the distinctive feature of 10 70-foot chair cars and 10 70-foot vestibuled coaches which the Rock Island will receive from the Pullman Company shops this month. This draft gear takes up the shock and prevents the disagreeable jars in the starting and stopping of trains.

Railroad Notes.

R. E. Lawrence, general agent of the Wheeling & Lake Erie at Wheeling, was in Pittsburgh yesterday.

J. O. Potts, inspector of maintenance of the Baltimore & Ohio, has resigned to accept a position with the Missouri Pacific.

The Baltimore & Ohio has changed its locomotive specifications to call for 35 Pacific type, 210 consolidation and five switch engines. The details have not been fully decided upon.

Wallace H. Gephart has been appointed general superintendent of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, with headquarters at Bellefonte, Pa., to succeed John W. Gephart, deceased.

J. H. Hodil, for 30 years agent of the Pennsylvanai railroad at Sligo, was retired yesterday on account of physical disability under the pension system. His successor is H. B. Sherman.

The authority of General Manager W. W. Atterbury of the Pennsylvania railroad has been extended over the Pennsylvania, New York & Long Island railroad, as the old "Long Island Road" is termed.

The Transcontinental Passenger association has issued its announcement of excursion rates and arrangements to Pacific coast points on account of the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland, Ore., and Pacific coast conventions arising therefrom. The lines are still unagreed as to the division of rates among themselves.

SOCIETY

MISS LURA REINEMAN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus R. Reineman of Rebecca street, East End, and William Lawrence Wilson, whose wedding will take place next Thursday, have chosen their attendants. The bride's sister, Mrs. John Logan Wilson, will be her matron of honor, and as maid of honor there will be Miss Ethel Pew of Philadelphia, formerly of Pittsburgh. Mr. Wilson has chosen Roy A. Hunt of Oakmont as his best man and James E. Mathews and John S. O'Neill, both of New York, as ushers. The Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will officiate at the wedding, which is to be a home event, set for 7 o'clock. Only the relatives and most intimate friends of the bridal couple will be present. Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Wilson of Winebiddle avenue, who are at Melbourne Beach, Fla., will not be home until the middle of May. They expect to spend some time in Pinehurst, N. C., before coming north.

Beautiful Entertainment at "Highmont."

"Highmont," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Clemson in Fifth avenue, was the scene of a handsomely appointed entertainment yesterday afternoon. The occasion was a Lenten musicale given by Leo Altman, violinist; Miss Genevieve Wheat, contralto, and Jean-Louis Ferraro, pianist, under the auspices of the East End Current Topics class. A feature of the affair was an address on "Some Roman Palaces" by Miss Julia Morgan Harding. Mrs. Clemson was assisted by a number of friends, including the members of her house party, Mrs. J. M. Goheen, Mrs. T. C. Clemson, Mrs. F. H. Clemson and Mrs. C. A. Witherow, and by Miss Jeanette Browne, Miss Sally Clark, Miss Alice Biggert, Miss Elizabeth Utely, Miss Jessie Clark, Mrs. Murry A. Verner and Mrs. Alexander R. Peacock. The house was beautifully decorated. Particularly effective was the huge vase of pink and white roses which occupied the alcove in the pink drawing room. One corner of the hall was banked with white primroses and maidenhair fern, and another with begonias, while pink and white azaleas with ferns were massed on the mantel. The table in the billiard room was banked with pitcher plants and on the dining-room table was a centerpiece of white lilacs and daffodils. American Beauty roses were used in the library.

Notes of Spring Travelers.

Mrs. J. W. Carnahan of Shady avenue, and her daughter, Miss Carrie J. Carnahan, left the city on Monday for San Antonio, Tex. They will later tour Mexico, and expect to be absent for three months. Miss Carnahan has recently returned from a two-year's trip around the world.

Miss Leonora Patterson of Ithaca, N. Y., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John M. Patterson, parents of Miss Thurston's fiance, J. Rea Patterson, will conclude her visit on Monday, when she leaves for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wallace of Wilkins avenue, Squirrel Hill, will leave tomorrow evening for the east, and will visit Washington, Baltimore, New York and Atlantic City before returning.

Pretty Affair in Edgeworth.

A pretty little affair yesterday afternoon was the luncheon given by Mrs. George H. Clapp and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Love, at their home in Edgeworth. The affair was in honor of three recent brides, Mrs. Joseph Rohrbacher, Mrs. John S. George and Mrs. William D. George. Twenty guests were present. The decorations were very attractive, yellow being the color scheme. Mrs. Rohrbacher leaves soon with her husband, Lieut. Rohrbacher, U. S. N., for a two years' stay in China.

To Meet Visitor and Bride.

Mrs. Gustave C. Langenheim of Riverview avenue, Allegheny, was hostess at a luncheon of 10 covers yesterday, the honors of which were shared by Miss Rose Morgan of Cleveland, who is visiting Miss Flora Langenheim of Colonial place, Shadyside, and by Mrs. J. Howard Myers, a recent bride. The other guests were Miss Langenheim, Miss Gertrude Langenheim, Miss Katherine Armstrong, Mrs. A. Fleming McDonald, Mrs. Harry Naylor, Mrs. James Edward Allison and Mrs. Harry Gillson.

"Baby Party" at the College.

Miss Anna M. Burgoyne, Miss Alice Young and Miss Irma Bixler composed the committee in charge of the "baby party" at the Pennsylvania College for Women last evening. The girls were all dressed to represent little children. The affair was one of the most enjoyable and unique of the many which have been given at the college this season. The decorations were carried out in gold and white and into the scheme dumbbells, tennis racquets and similar articles were introduced.

Engagements Announced.

Mrs. Grant Murray of Graham street, East End, has announced the engagement of her sister, Miss Adeliza Prentiss Hurd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Hurd of Sewickley, and Edward D. Frieberthauser of Bouquet street, Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Bundshuh of Thirty-eighth street, Lawrenceville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Irene Bundshuh, and Clarence George Brush of Mt. Washington. The wedding will be an event of the summer.

Wedding in the Schenley.

The wedding of Miss Henrietta Goehring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Goehring of Wilkinsburg, and J. H. Goehring, which is set for Tuesday evening, April 1, will take place at the Schenley hotel. Half after seven is the hour set for the ceremony. Invitations will be issued shortly, and with them will go the announcements of days at home at the Kenmawr hotel, after June 1.

Many Euchre Invitations Out.

Three hundred invitations have been issued for the euchre which is to be given in Conrad's hall, Riverview avenue, Allegheny, on Tuesday afternoon for the benefit of the juvenile court work. Mrs. A. R. Hamilton and Mrs. Richard B. Scandrett compose the committee in charge of the affair, for which many beautiful prizes have been donated.

Mr. and Mrs. Bibro Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bibro have returned from their southern wedding trip and are now at home at the Schenley. Mrs. Bibro will be remembered as Miss Gertrude Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Kasbell Solomon's eldest daughter. She and her husband will shortly take possession of their own home in Denniston avenue.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. John H. Nicholson of Shady avenue entertained her bridge club at her home yesterday afternoon.

There will be four tables in play at the bridge which Mrs. Biddle Arthurs of Center avenue will give this afternoon.

The last entertainment in the series given by the Young Men's Christian association of Sewickley was held in the auditorium last evening. The program was given by the Whitney brothers male quartet, composed of William F., Yale B., Alvin M. and Edwin M. Whitney. Edwin Whitney also gave a number of interesting readings.

Hugh C. Brankstone of Crafton and Miss Keturah Reno of Idlewood were quietly married in the parsonage of the Hawthorne Avenue Presbyterian church, Crafton, by the Rev. G. O. Atwell, last night, only relatives and immediate friends being present. After a reception the bride and groom left for an eastern trip. They will be at home at Crafton after April 10.

A lecture will be given in the Homewood Avenue Methodist Episcopal church next Thursday evening by the Rev. W. E. McCullough. The subject is "A Trip to Europe," and the proceeds will go toward the building fund of the Hamilton Avenue United Presbyterian church.

Jury Disagrees in Wagoner Case.

AKRON, O., March 10.—(Special.)—The jury in the case of Capt. Aaron Wagoner, an official of the defunct Akron Savings bank, charged with perjury, after being out all night disagreed this morning and was discharged. The vote stood 6 to 6 throughout, 28 ballots being taken. Wagoner is greatly disappointed at not being acquitted.

AMONG THE CLUBS

THE Association of Collegiate Alumnae held a meeting yesterday at the home of Miss Edith Grey, Denniston avenue. Miss Mary A. Gleim gave a scholarly address on the educational exhibit at the world's fair, and Miss Alexander spoke on juvenile court work. She made clear the provision in Pittsburgh separating children from criminals. Mrs. James G. Geegan presided.

Officers Are Elected.

At the meeting of the Friday Conversational club of Monongahela, officers were elected and committees named for the coming year. Mrs. W. H. Alexander was unanimously re-elected president, and she appointed the following committees: Program, Miss Williams, Miss Beach and Miss Miller; civic, Miss M. Morland, Miss Minnie Peeters, Mrs. Nettie Strouse, Mrs. James Downer and Miss Lawrence; music, Miss Boggs, Mrs. George T. Linn, Miss Bessie McCurdy; social, Mrs. Hallie Linn Swaney, Mrs. Charles Bentley, Miss Lide Bregg, Mrs. William McGregor, Miss Edna Lytle and Miss Luella Scott. At the club meeting yesterday the subject was "Literary People," and the first paper was read by Mrs. Schillion Hazzard on "Robert Louis Stevenson." Mrs. Grabbe followed with a paper, "George Meredith," and Mrs. James Downer had a paper on "Thomas Hardy." The next regular meeting is scheduled for March 24.

Southern Pogram Was Delightful.

Mrs. Henry Jones Ford presided at the meeting of the Southern Women's club yesterday, and Mrs. Anton Burchard led the literary program, reading a poem of Sidney Lanier's, "The First Steamboat in Alabama." Mrs. Charles Armstrong Redick read a paper, "The Cotton States," and Mrs. James E. Murray contributed two dialect poems. Mrs. Peterson sang a number of solos, among them Nevin's "The Rosary," "The Pretty Creature," "My Curly, Curly-Headed Baby" and "If Thou Wert a Bird." The program was concluded by a piano duet, "Georgia Camp Meeting," by Mrs. Anton Burchard and Mrs. John Macfarland. Tea was served yesterday, the hostesses being Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Redick.

Soho Meeting Announced.

A meeting of the Soho bath committee is announced for next Friday at 10:30 a. m. in the Civic rooms on Penn avenue. The annual election of officers will be the feature of the business program. Also the matter will undoubtedly be brought up that the joint committee and the Civic club confer together and appoint a board of managers for the new settlement house in Soho, which will be opened on April 1. The board will be appointed from members of the Soho bath committee.

Will Begin Tenement House Inspection.

Mrs. Samuel W. Harper, who has been appointed tenement house inspector, will begin her duties on April 1. Mrs. Harper has had much experience in this line of work, having studied conditions in New York and Philadelphia and cities abroad. She is a Pittsburgher and has for years been active in civic work. She will spend the next 10 days with Dr. Robbin looking over the plan of work here so that she may begin just where her predecessor leaves off.

Causes Are Given.

Mrs. W. J. Glenn presided yesterday at the regular meeting of the Carnegie Woman's club. Mrs. Joseph H. Walker was chairman of the literary program. "Cause of War from the Russian Standpoint," was given by Mrs. J. H. McKee, while the other side, "Cause of War from the Japanese Standpoint," was discussed by Mrs. James McPeake. Miss Jessie Harding spoke on "Talks on Battles." The music of the afternoon was furnished by Mrs. Minnie C. Roberts. The next meeting will be held on March 24.

Club Notes.

Miss Alexander, probation officer in juvenile court work, left last night for Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, where she is taking four Iron City children to eastern homes. A little brother and sister of 7 and 8 years, arrested in Pittsburgh as pickpockets, were taken to the home of a sister in Boston. One boy will go into a Catholic school and the fourth girl goes to a deaconess' home in Philadelphia.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Allegheny County Woman's Christian Temperance union will be held on Tuesday, March 14, in the Fourth Avenue Baptist church.

The Bellevue club held a reception and formal library opening last night at the house in Lincoln avenue, Bellevue. Miss Anna Rinehart Lazear of Pittsburgh gave readings. F. W. Bowman, Dr. P. C. Cooper, Samuel L. Dillie, William Martin and H. J. Rodgers composed the committee.

NINETY-NINE YEAR CASE HAS NOW COST $100,000

Famous Iron Litigation Is Finally Argued Before the U. S. Supreme Court.

(Special Correspondence to The Gazette.)

NEGAUNEE, MICH., March 10.—The suit of the Cleveland Cliffs Iron Company vs. the Negaunee Iron Company, argued today in the United States supreme court at Washington, and known in the iron regions as the "99-year case," has already cost the litigants $100,000. Arrayed on opposite sides are these eminent attorneys: Ex-Secretary of War Root, Messrs. Hoyt, Dustin and Kelley of Cleveland, representing the plaintiffs, and Benton Hanchette of Saginaw, and A. B. Eldredge of Marquette, general counsel for the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railroad, for the defendants.

The suit grew out of the undertaking of certain explorations for iron ore on mineral lands in Negaunee township of Marquette county by the Cleveland Cliffs company, under the 99-year lease made by the defendant in 1857 with the Pioneer Iron Company. As ground for its alleged invasion of the tract involved, the claim is set up that the Cleveland Cliffs company, by virtue of its absorption of the interests of the Pioneer Iron Company, in 1896, comes into possession of the lease. The defendants in the present case enjoined the Cleveland Cliffs company, and the litigation is the result. The defendant claims that the original lease is non-assignable, as the Pioneer Iron Company died in 1887 with the expiration of its charter.

The lands involved amounts to 1,475 acres, much of which is of known mineral value.

MRS. BENJAMIN THAW SANG.

Appeared on Program With Joseph Jefferson at Reception of Mrs. Eugene O'Neill.

PALM BEACH, FLA., March 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Eugene M. O'Neill gave a large reception this afternoon at Cottage Ocean View for members of the Fortnightly club and their invited friends. Joseph Jefferson recited a humorous poem entitled, "The Twins," and there was great applause. Mrs. Benjamin Thaw of Pittsburgh sang Donizetti's "Mio Fernando" in an admirable manner.

Madame Melba appeared here last night before a brilliant audience. Among those present were: Mrs. Benjamin Thaw, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Green, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. O'Neill, Mrs. Philander C. Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Frick of Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh Company Gets Contract.

OIL CITY, March 10.—(Special.)—The Ajax Construction Company of Pittsburgh, was today awarded the contract for the erection of the proposed six-story Chambers block. The contract price is $66,809.

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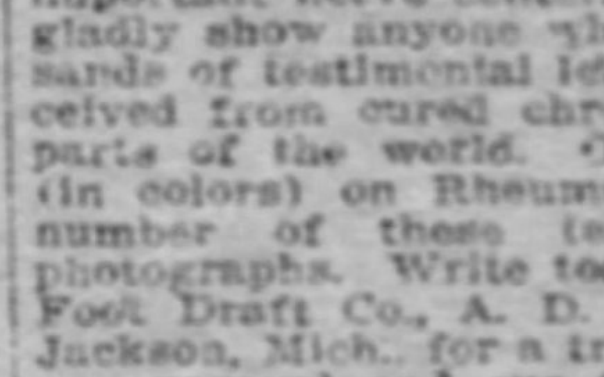

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Three Democrats Are Needed for Ratification of Santo Domingo Protocol.

SENATOR KNOX IS NOTIFIED

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10.

In order to save the Santo Domingo treaty from defeat President Roosevelt must hold every Republican vote in the senate and win over three Democratic votes. This struggle is now going on in the administration and among administration senators, but the three minority votes are not yet in sight.

Every Republican senator who is away has been notified to be present next week and among these are Senators Knox and Alger, who had left the city not expecting to return on account of illness. Both have sent word that they will be present at the time of voting. It will require 57 votes to ratify the treaty. There are 54 Republicans and 31 Democrats.

Three minority senators have hitherto been put down in favor of the treaty, Senators Stone, Clark of Arkansas and Newlands. Senator Clay was at one time in doubt, and the Republicans had hope of winning his vote. It is now announced that he will vote against the treaty, while Senator Newlands said today that the assumption that he would vote for it was entirely erroneous. Owing to the drawing of party lines, the votes of Senators Stone and Clark are now in doubt.

The leaders of the two parties could not name tonight any Republicans who would vote against the treaty or any Democrats who would vote for it. The situation, therefore, at the present indicates defeat, although the administration senators insist that when the time comes they will have the votes.

The treaty will be still further changed on the floor of the senate. Senator Hale presented an amendment today putting on a time limit, which Republican senators say will be adopted, while the minority members are ready to propose many other changes.

OPPOSITION TO COL. NEW.

Senator Scott of West Virginia May Become Acting Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special.)—Harry S. New of Indiana is said to be Chairman George B. Cortelyou's choice for acting chairman of the Republican national committee, but opposition to his appointment has developed among the Republicans of his state.

Mr. Cortelyou will name the acting chairman in a few days and in the event that Col. New is not appointed the most probable selections are Elmer Dover, the present secretary of the committee, Senator Scott of West Virginia and Cornelius N. Bliss of New York.

WEST VIRGINIA SENATORS DISAGREE ON PATRONAGE

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special.)—An unsuccessful effort was made today by the West Virginia senators to come to an agreement upon the internal revenue collectorship for that state. Senator Elkins is urging the appointment of W. E. Glasscock of Morgantown, while Senator Scott favors the candidacy of State Senator Stark L. Baker of Berkley. Another conference will be held Wednesday next, at which, it is thought, the senators will be able to make a selection.

FEDERAL INCUMBENTS ARE TO BE RETAINED

WASHINGTON, March 10.—A general policy as to federal appointments was determined upon by the president and his cabinet today. It was announced that, for the present at least, the uniform policy would be to retain incumbents in office during satisfactory service. This policy will hold, it was stated further, entirely irrespective of the length of service of the incumbent. The policy announced is to apply generally to all departments of the government.

LIVELY BIDDING FOR THE PHILIPPINE BONDS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Mercantile Trust Company of St. Louis was the highest bidder today for the $2,500,000 issue of 4 per cent Philippine public works bonds. The bids were opened at the insular bureau. The bid of the Mercantile Trust Company for the entire issue was $2,726,500, or at the rate of $109 06. The bidding was strong, there being 36 proposals.

Official Funeral of Senator Bate.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Funeral services for Senator William B. Bate of Tennessee were held in the senate chamber today. The president, members of his cabinet, the chief justices and associate justices of the supreme court, the diplomatic corps, members of the house of representatives who are in the city and representatives of the army were present.

Mr. Porter Goes to Florida.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special.)—Representative H. K. Porter of Pittsburgh left Washington tonight for Jekyl Island, Ga., where he will join Mrs. Porter for several weeks' sojourn.

Fletcher's Appointment Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of Henry P. Fletcher of Pennsylvania as secretary of the legation at Lisbon, Portugal.

STATE COLLEGE ALUMNI GIVES A SMOKER TONIGHT

The committee on arrangements for the smoker of the Pennsylvania State college alumni, to be given this evening at the Union club, met yesterday afternoon. Dr. Atherton, president of the college, will arrive in the city this evening, and it is expected that Judge A. O. Smith of Clearfield and Judge E. L. Orvis of Bellefonte, will be present. Mr. Quigley, president of the local organization, returned yesterday from a business trip through the central part of the state and reports a number of the old students coming for the smoker. The program includes instrumental and vocal music and recitations, in which Arthur Dunlevy will participate. Jerome Mord in "Mysterious Magic," and James P. Dunlevy in a character song and story.

Wup Concert at Sharpsburg.

The concert of the Western University of Pennsylvania Glee club at Sharpsburg Young Men's Christian association auditorium last night, in charge of Miss Sara Coyle, was a success, socially and financially. The ushers, who were attired in white, were all members of the Presbyterian church, to the building fund of which church the proceeds of the entertainment will go. The ushers were the Misses Mildred Wahl, May W. Dawson, Ella Bock, Mabel Thompson, Sara Wallace, Belle Wallace, Mabel Irwine, Sara Dickson, Mary McCoslin, Grace Hodil, Barbara Hilliard, Nina McKinney, Ivy Shomburg, Myrna Moore. The hall, which was draped with the Western University of Pennsylvania colors, was crowded.

Three Men Roasted to Death.

JOHNSTOWN, March 10.—(Special.)—An explosion at furnace No. 4 of the Cambria Iron and Steel Company this morning buried three workmen under a mass of red hot coke and they were roasted to death. They were: Peter Keneghan, aged 45; John P. Rovnich, aged 32, and Tony Savoviz, aged 26.

Real Estate Bargains
Tomorrow in The Sunday Gazette.

PROUTY ARRAIGNS RAILROAD MEN

Commissioner Declares Their Own Acts Have Caused Rate Regulation Agitation.

WILLCOX AND GROSSCUP TALK

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, March 10.—"The president's railroad policy" was the general subject of discussion at a dinner of the Economic club of Boston tonight. The principal speakers were Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago, President David Willcox of the Delaware & Hudson River Railroad Company, and Interstate Commerce Commissioner Charles A. Prouty. Each commented at length upon President Roosevelt's view regarding the regulation of interstate commerce rates.

Mr. Prouty defended the proposed national legislation, and referring to the criticism that legislators were not always competent business men, said that while a certain amount of expert knowledge was necessary in the proper regulation of railroad tariffs the questions to be decided, though requiring good judgment, were not difficult of comprehension to one habitually engaged in hearing them. He declared that the rebate is and always has been the most deadly enemy of the railway itself. The traffic manager of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway stated under oath four years ago that his company had paid back to the shipper in very many instances 10 per cent of its gross earnings. The continual effort of the best railway thought been to stop the rebate. Said he:

Really Protecting Railroads.

When the railways of this country offer to co-operate with the president of the United States to putting an end to these practices they are giving up nothing of value; upon the contrary they are seeking from the law a protection against themselves which they have never been able to secure by voluntary action.

As the price of continued existence there has grown up a union of railway interest which prevents further suicidal competition. It is today familiar knowledge that a half dozen railway magnates control 120,000 of the 200,000 miles of railway and that the remaining mileage is largely at the mercy of these great systems.

It is sometimes said that these railway magnates can impose upon this country whatever freight rate they choose. No statement could be more ridiculous. Competitive transportation and commercial conditions fix and absolutely limit freight rates in most instances. But what the railroads of this country can do is to impose in other instances utterly unreasonable and unjust rates.

Many Complaints Filed.

It is asserted by railway representatives that there are today no complaints of unreasonable rates. I can say to you conservatively that the right to make the advances drawn in question by cases now pending before the commission means more money than would be required to construct and equip every railroad in New England.

It is said that any attempt to take out of the hands of the railways themselves the making of tariffs must result in disaster. Let me particularly call your attention to the fact that the president's policy does not propose to divest the railways of the right to me, his hour of opportunity now. Let stance whatever tariffs they see fit. When, however, those tariffs have been put in effect it is proposed to provide the means by which they can be examined and if found unlawful corrected.

It is frequently urged that we have in the United States the most splendid railway system in the world, and that it will be an act of gross injustice to the men who have developed that system if the government today interferes with its operations.

Built to Make Money.

The railroads of this country were not built as a charitable proposition. Our railroads were built, not to develop the country, but to make money for the men who built them. Since my acquaintance with the subject, the development of industry has forced the railway; the railway has not led the development of industry.

That the people are not in a frame of mind to oppress the railways is not the fault of the railways themselves. For the last 18 years these gentlemen, who now insist that they are above all control, have wilfully and continuously violated the satute law of this land, and have built up by the rebates which they have paid those trusts and monoplies which present today the most difficult of all social problems. They have filled their published tariffs with discriminations in favor of those same gigantic combinations; they have themselves become the greatest of all monopolies; they have used their tremendous power to stifle all action, and even all discussion. And what today is the attitude of these same gentlemen? Stiffnecked defiance. They are "utterly and unalterably" opposed to all supervision of railway rates.

Railroads Are to Blame.

Ill does it become men with that record to accuse a long suffering people of dishonesty when it demands at least regulation which shall in fact regulate. The oppression which these gentlemen foretell, if it ever comes, will be the legitimate consequence of their own conduct.

Mr. Willcox vigorously opposed the interference of the government in the rate question and declared it impossible for a small body of men at Washington to properly dictate what the railroad rates of the country should be. The remedy for existing evils lay, he said, in a thorough enforcement of the present statutes.

Judge Grosscup said the railroad men should join with the president in establishing a tribunal through which the nation's power could be honestly exercised. He declared the present agitation is not new. Said he:

It was not new eighteen years ago when the interstate commerce bill was passed. What is new in the present agitation is, that at its head is the president of the United States. What is new in the present agitation is, that the people of the United States, regardless of their interest individually as shippers, have come to look upon the subject as a national concern.

Situation Full of Danger.

And what is new in the present agitation, and full of danger, too, is, that from its being a question of the proper relation of the railroads to the public, on business and political principles, it may become a movement under cover of which the social and political revolutionists will push forward their assault upon the present order of American institutions. Already they are climbing over the wheels into our conservative president's wagon, determined to ride just as far as he is compelled to carry them on his way to a just solution of this problem. Already they are claiming this whole movement as their movement. Herein lies the embarrassment, and the peril, of the president. Right here, too, rises that grim menace, that no friend of the institution of private property anywhere can afford longer to ignore.

The big brained railroad man has, it seems to me. This hour of opportunity now. Let him insist that there shall be no confiscation of his property, or no arrangement of control or supervision that, in the long run, will amount to confiscation. Behind him, on such an issue, the country will be found to stand. But let him recognize, also, that in the nation there resides the reserve power of supervision and control; a power that the nation must exercise in the interest of equal citizenship; and let him join our president in establishing a tribunal through whom the nation's power can be honestly, but at all times promptly and adequately, exercised. That will bring peace, with justice. No other peace would last.

Erie Railroad Kills Fish.

SHARON, March 10.—(Special.)—Thousands of fish have been killed in the Shenango river between here and Sharpsville by the Erie railroad filling in the river bed with pulverized furnace slag. The fine cinder gets into the gills of the fish, causing strangulation. Local authorities have taken the matter up with W. E. Meehan, state commissioner of fisheries.

Over 20 Probably Killed.

CARDIFF, March 10.—A terrible explosion has occurred in the Cambrian colliery at Clydach Vale, in the Rhondda valley. It is feared that 20 or 30 miners have been killed. The pit is afire. Many of those rescued from the mine are badly burned.

Over a Million for Harvard.

PITTSFIELD, MASS., March 10.—The will of William F. Milton of New York and Pittsfield was filed for probate today. Several bequests are made, and the remainder of an estate valued at over $1,000,000 is held in trust for his widow, on whose death the last bequest goes to Harvard college.

CHURCHES WILL FIGHT LICENSES

Campaign to Be Opened at Meetings in the East End Tomorrow.

OPENING OF LENTEN SERVICES

Several East End churches will begin an organized campaign against applicants for liquor licenses and their supporters tomorrow. Meetings will be held in the Lincoln Avenue Methodist Episcopal church and in a Shady avenue church. The meetings will be held at 3 p. m. and several ministers of East End churches will deliver addresses. The Rev. John R. Harris, pastor of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, Shady avenue, who is chairman of the good citizenship committee of the Allegheny County United Society of Christian Endeavor, said yesterday the committee intends in a few days to publish a list of all who signed the petitions of applicants for liquor licenses to show who stands with the saloons and who with the churches. The East Liberty branch of the Young Women's Christian association is also taking part in the movement.

The Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge, pastor of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, will give a lecture on "The Gospel in India and Assam" tomorrow evening in the Fourth Avenue church. The lecture will be illustrated with stereopticon views showing the victories of Christianity over Paganism. The Men's club of the church will give a musicale Tuesday evening. Admission will be free.

The first of a series of special Lenten services at Trinity Protestant Episcopal church, Sixth avenue, will be held tomorrow. The Rev. Dr. A. W. Arundel, the rector, will deliver special sermons at each Sunday morning and evening service during Lent. Dr. Walter E. Hall, the organist, has arranged a musical program for the series. At the service tomorrow morning Dr. Arundel will preach on "Modern Pharisees and Publicans."

The Volunteers of America will distribute surprise packages among the children who attend the Sunday school meeting at its headquarters, No. 343 Second avenue, at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Final arrangements are being made for the opening services of the business people's noonday meetings in the Avenue theater on Monday. The Rev. S. Edward Young of the Second Presbyterian church being in charge. President James D. Moffat, LL.D., of Washington and Jefferson college; President David Gregg of the Western Theological seminary, and the Presbyterian General assembly's special evangelist, Dr. Joseph P. Calhoon, will be among the speakers. The address will be limited to 20 minutes. The doors will be opened at 11:30 a. m. and the services will be ended at 12:45 p. m. A large portion of the services will consist of instrumental, vocal and congregational music. The Bach orchestra of 60 pieces, under the direction of Mr. Gernert, will begin the instrumental music at 11:40 a. m. Contralto Minnie C. Davis will sing and Director Tali Essen Morgan will have general charge of the music. Those who are not able to remain for entire service will be assigned seats in the rear, so they can leave without disturbing the services.

BONES OF WRECK VICTIMS ARE BADLY SPLINTERED

Dr. Russ[illegible] of Allegheny, took X-ray photographs at the Suburban General hospital [illegible] on Thursday, of Maj. R. J. McQuigg and Charles Smith, who were injured in the wreck at Clifton; the bones in one of McQuigg's legs and in both of Smith's, were shown to have been badly splintered.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 18.7 feet and the river was rising slowly.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, March 10.—At 6 p. m. today the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 31.1 feet and rising. Today's departures were: Greenwood, for Pomeroy; Levi J. Workum, for Madison; City of Cincinnati, for Louisville, and Rees Lee, for Memphis. The Rees Lee left here for Memphis today with an excellent trip and has engagements below. This is the first boat out of Cincinnati for the lower rivers in several months. The Licking continued to run out today and is felt on the Ohio shore. The current was swift. The E. R. Andrews arrived with a tow of coal from the Kanawha and turned back with empties. The Robert P. Gilham has gone to Point Pleasant to be pulled on the ways to have her hog chains repaired, which were broken during the breakup of the ice here a few weeks ago. When repaired she will bring a tow of coal from the mines to Cincinnati. Late reports from Point Pleasant and Portsmouth say that the river is full of heavy floating ice and that the stream is rising at the rate of five tenths of o foot an hour. The river had reached a 37-foot stage at Point Pleasant at noon. Clear, warmer and pleasant.

MARIETTA—River 28 feet and rising. Clear and cooler. One-third full of heavy ice. No boats.

PARKERSBURG—River at 7 o'clock tonight is 31 feet and rising four inches an hour. Thirty-six feet is expected tomorrow noon. Weather clear and cooler. No packets have passed. The Dave Wood passed down this morning with coal. Several towboats have passed down since dark with coal.

WHEELING—River 26.5 feet and rising. Cloudy and colder. No coal tows. Packets resume tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE—River rising, with 10 feet in canal, 7.8 feet on the falls and 28.2 feet below the locks. Clear and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 25 feet and falling. Weather fair and cool.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 2 inches and stationary. Weather clear and cool.

WARREN—River frozen. Weather fair and cold.

MORGANTOWN—River 22 feet 8 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and colder.

POINT PLEASANT—River 39 feet 3 inches and rising. Up, Florence Marmet, Kanawha, George Gardner. Down, Dave Wood.

STEUBENVILLE—River 25 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather cloudy and cold.

ICE GORGES MAKE TROUBLE ABOVE

Break and Reform and Force Many Families to Leave Their Homes.

NO FLOOD IS EXPECTED HERE

While the rising rivers did not reach the danger line in this city, the breaking ice gorges and new gorges formed when the ice moved out, are causing plenty of trouble in the Allegheny valley and in the Youghiogheny at McKeesport. Houses are flooded, lowlands are covered with ice and water, families have been forced out of their homes or are making their entrances and exits in skiffs, and general inconvenience and misery is resulting at many places.

The ice in the Allegheny which had gorged at Kittanning, began moving out yesterday afternoon. After running a short time it again gorged against the Rosston islands. It now extends for a distance of six miles above the islands. Reports from points further up indicate that the river is falling, allowing the ice to settle in more compact form and making the situation worse than before.

The gorge at the islands is a tight one is holding back the water. The result is the river is rising rapidly just above it. At Rosston and the lower end of Ford City it is over the streets and roads. At noon yesterday the Ore Hill gorge broke, forcing gorges at Manorville, Ford City, Whites Eddy, Kelleys and White Rock to move out. No serious damage has occurred yet, but the rapidly rising river back of the gorge at the Rosston islands is expected to make trouble when the force pushes out the ice and it all goes out with a rush.

At McKeesport the Youghiogheny river is over its banks and the low part of the city has been flooded. At Ninth avenue a number of houses have been inundated and the residents have taken to the second stories. Several stables along the river bank had to be abandoned. Across the river, at Dravosburg, the part of the town located on the river bottom is under water and people are leaving their houses in skiffs. Three flats and a coal barge at the Dravosburg docks have been sunk by the ice.

The Monongahela river shortly before midnight last night had risen at McKeesport so that several departments of the W. DeWees Wood plant of the National tube works were flooded and were shut down, throwing 500 men out of work.

In this city all danger of a flood has passed by. The river was expected to reach a height of 21 feet. Rivermen and others who believed the crest of the flood had reached here Thursday afternoon found themselves mistaken. After reaching a height of 18 feet 11 inches, the water began to recede, but soon started up again, and yesterday afternoon had reached 20 feet. It was expected to climb another foot before falling.

The ice is all out of the Monongahela river, but there is still a lot to come out of the Youghiogheny. All of it is rotten and no trouble is anticipater here in handling it.

The River Coal Company sent out the Harry Brown and Alice Brown yesterday with a big tow of coal boats. They will lay up at Steubenville until the river falls as it is too high now for a boat to pass under the bridge at that place. None of the other companies started its boats, preferring to wait here until the water recedes a few feet.

The Kanawha will be the first packet into Pittsburgh from down the river. She will arrive Monday and go out on her return trip to Parkersburg Tuesday.

ALUMNI PAY A TRIBUTE TO PRESIDENT ANGELL

Local University of Michigan Men Entertain the Head of the Institution at Dinner.

To President James B. Angell about 77 local alumni of the University of Michigan paid a striking tribute at the second annual dinner of the Pittsburgh association last evening at the Union club. From start to finish the dinner centered about the well-beloved head of the big institution, and his address on "The University" was the feature of the evening. His address was one of quiet pride in the institution as he recalled its growth, the number of its alumni who have risen to prominence throughout the world in law, medicine, teaching and engineering. He said the calendar about to be published will show a total of 4,100 students there. The engineering department alone has 1,000 members and the law school about 900. He said the university had graduated more members of congress than any other school

William A. Blakeley was toastmaster. Beside Dr. Angell the speakers were: "Lits," James G. Hays; "The Alumni Memorial Hall," Judge C. B. Grant of the Michigan supreme court; "Laws," J. Q. Van Swearingen; "Engineers," Richard Khuen; "Medics," Dr. Robert W. Clark. The members of the banquet committee were: James G. Hays, George M. Hosack, Richard Hardy, John Zieg, Sergius P. Grace and Hermann F. Ruoff.

The Pittsburgh members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Greek letter fraternity banquetted last evening at the Hotel Henry. About 30 members were present. Judge William C. Levere of Evansville, Ind., was expected to be present, but was unable to come. His place as the speaker of the evening was taken by E. P. McFarland of Charleroi.

Changes in Suburban Hospital.

The directors of the Suburban General hospital at Bellevue have accepted the resignation of the superintendent, Miss La Rue Maxey, and passed resolutions commending her administration. The assistant superintendent, Miss Emma E. Nelson, was promoted to the position. Miss Maxey resigned to attend to home duties. She will leave today for her home in Vicksburg, Miss.

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CLOSE TO NATURE.

WHY SUNSHINE BRINGS HEALTH.

EVERYONE knows that the pure country air and a chance to get close to Nature in the fields and woods, is sure to improve our animal spirits and bodily health. We are only civilized animals after all, and the present dwellers in the cities are compelled to live in badly ventilated rooms or factories filled with the germs of disease—of grip, consumption or catarrh. They are compelled to eat their lunch hastily, and, in fact, to run the human machine at all times so improperly that they are constantly in danger of being sick. Sunshine and good air are essential for good health. Nature provides the germ destroyer, if we only find it, in a life in the open air and sunshine. If we are run down physically, if our blood has too many of the white blood corpuscles and not enough of the *red* corpuscles; if we look pale and anaemic, or with pimples or hives appearing on the skin, it's a pretty sure warning that we need a little of nature's cure. For those who are confined indoors and need a strengthening tonic, a blood and body builder, there is a remedy provided by Nature which is sure and safe—an Alterative Extract from roots and herbs, without the use of alcohol, which nourishes the tissues and nerves with good red blood. That medicine was the discovery of Dr. R. V. Pierce, the founder of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. It was sold by druggists thirty-seven years ago or more and has become more popular every year since, under the name of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Dr. Pierce receives quantities of grateful letters and testimonials every day. It would take all of this newspaper's space to print those received in a single month. Here is a sample:

"About seven years ago my health failed, and I tried different doctors but they could not help me," writes Reuben S. Kleppinger, Esq., of Lehighton, Pa. (Box 673). "I was still getting worse. Had a cough, pain in chest, night-sweats, was weak and nervous. I decided to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and state my case. I received a prompt and careful reply, which I still have in my possession. The malady was a complicated one, involving the nasal and other air-passages. There was a catarrhal condition extending from head to the bronchia and lungs. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy was advised. I used about two dozen bottles of each, also some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and these remedies have done their work. Since that time I don't believe I have lost a day's work on account of sickness. Am well and have been able to eat anything ever since. Thanks seem but a slight return for all the good your medicine has done me."

"About two years ago I consulted a physician to try and get relief from a cold which had stopped up my head, and also settled on my lungs, causing catarrh in a very bad form, and also throat difficulties," writes Justice Thomas E. Bourquin, 1808 Ogercher Road, Savannah, Ga. "He gave me some medicine, but one month's faithful use of same failed to do me any good, so I decided to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and bought a bottle. After using it a few days, my lungs began to heal, I did not cough nearly as much nights, slept much better, and in two weeks the cold, cough, catarrh and throat difficulty were all cured. I was certainly pleased with the results, and so wish to write you of it."

We quote from the New York *Journal* the following:

"In Allen street, in eight blocks of tenement houses, live ten thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven human beings.

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CARPENTERS—For inside work, to work under the new working rules of Master Builders' Association of Pittsburgh. Address P. O. box 1685, city. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

CARPENTERS

Wanted—500 at once, at Pittsburgh; wages $3.50 per day of eight hours. Apply

BUILDERS EXCHANGE LEAGUE,
409 MARKET STREET,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED.

Male Help.

IF YOU apply for a position or advertise for help in these columns Daily or Sunday and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

BARBER TRADE learned six weeks. NOSSOKOFF'S BARBER SCHOOL, 1406 Penn ave.

COATMAKER—First-class coatmaker; best prices will be paid to right man; steady work. A. H. Goldberg, Dubois, Pa. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

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EDUCATE FOR POSITIONS AT ACTUAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, 310 Fifth avenue—Ten-Cent Store Building. DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL. Young and middle-aged men and women admitted. Free employment department. Telephone 2250 Court. ESTABLISHED 1880.

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FEEDERS—Cylinder press feeders. Smith-Wehner Litho. Co., 206 Second ave. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

FLOOR LAYERS AND SCRAPERS—Experienced. 1710 Farmers Bank Building. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

HARDWARE, general store, shoe, furniture and clothing salesmen. MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

MACHINISTS, molders, patternmakers, pipe fitters, carpenters, mill and factory hands. MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

MEN for the United States marine corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; marine service at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land, in our island possessions and at naval stations in the United States. Apply recruiting office, room 414 Federal building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ONE practical paint grinder. Address K 152, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

SALESMAN—Specialty salesman; can make $5 per day; must be a good salesman, with experience; good side line. 414 Third ave. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

TRAVELING MAN calling on retail country stores to take our fall line dress goods, blankets and flannels on commission. Purnell Dale Mills, P. O. box 560, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Three No. 1 machinists, one good milling machine man to cut gears; two blacksmiths, one who can do all kinds of steam hammer forging; one patternmaker; good wages; steady work all year round. Apply to J. E. Stewart, manager, White Rock, Pa. B. & A. V. div. of P. R. R. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED—Master mechanic, thoroughly familiar with electric cranes and general repairs. Address M 107, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED EVERYWHERE—Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED—Manager for Cleveland office of large brick and coal company; must invest $5,000 to $10,000; salary and commission. G 116, The Gazette.

WANTED—Ornamental ironworker and two boys to learn the trade. Call 214 Federal st., Allegheny.

WE have an opening for a man with good executive ability as treasurer of a railroad company, who can invest three thousand dollars, more or less, in the preferred stock. Board of directors consists of prominent bankers in Pittsburgh and West Virginia. Apply for further information rooms 808-809 House building, Pittsburgh.

Female Help

IF YOU apply for a position or advertise for help in these columns Daily or Sunday and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

GIRLS—Wanted, to work on power sewing machines; experience not necessary. Apply Lappe Glove Factory, 188 Spring Garden ave., Allegheny. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL—Neat colored girl for general housework; references required. 718 Maryland ave. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL—Competent girl for cooking and downstairs work; three in family; bring references. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m. Saturday, 332 Stratford ave., East End.

GIRL—For general housework; two in family; $4.50 up. 1215 Esplanade, Allegheny.

OFFICE MANAGER—Middle-aged woman, experienced in office work and in managing clerks; state age, experience, references and salary. Address L 153, The Gazette.

WANTED—Active, attractive woman, not over 35, to see business men and otherwise assist publisher of an established periodical. Address at once, Charles Depew, 431 Diamond st. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED at once, lady canvassers at $1 a day and commission. J. T. Ayer & Co., 414 Third ave. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED—A few more young women to learn telegraphy, day or evening. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis block.

Male and Female Help.

MEN AND WOMEN

to advertise in situation columns for employment.

$500.00 IN CASH—FREE,

IF YOU SECURE A

SITUATION

Through an advertisement in the want columns of The Gazette you will receive a part of the money.

The offer is for Daily or Sunday, and any person obtaining a position through such advertisement will be entitled to a share of the money.

You Get the Money Either Way.

If you apply for any position advertised in the want columns of The Gazette and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you a cash bonus for your success.

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Is printed upon the want page of The Gazette. If you want work or wish to better your present position, start your ad at once and get a share of the $500 as well as a good position. Special rates on seven consecutive day ads.

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MAN AND WIFE—To work on a farm; man must be good milker and kind to stock and temperate; woman good cook and housekeeper; both 30 to 40 years of age, by family consisting of self and wife; also two middle-aged women, single, to do general housework in two houses in the country; two members in each home; references required from last employer; no Catholics or colored need apply. Call for W. S. Brown at Seventh Avenue hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa., from 10 a. m. Monday, March 13, to Tuesday, March 14, 10 a. m. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

HELP—All kinds of male and female help wanted and supplied at CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 114 Ninth st.; both 'phones.

Agents.

AGENTS—To sell the wonderful New Improved Pioneer gas light; also the new unbendable, unburnable, unbreakable gas mantle support; can only be bought of the Pioneer Light Co. Coin money. Agents are selling thousands. Call or address Pioneer Light Co., 132 Seventh st., Pittsburgh, Pa. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

AGENTS—Your photograph on a pillow top of sateen linen handkerchiefs, table linen, etc.; these tops may be washed as many times as desired. National Photo Pillow Top Co., room 262, 410 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa. Agents wanted. Open evenings. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

MAKE your own gas mantles; valuable information for stamp. N. C. Co., Box 922, Pittsburgh. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED.

Agents.

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AGENTS—Canvassers of all descriptions make big income working for us selling a new 25c article; write for information; sample for 25c; satisfaction guaranteed. King Manufacturing Co., 1335 Liberty ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

AGENTS wanted to get wise and carry a pocketful of money by selling the original "Zieger" high candle-power gas light. New agents are making $10 to $15 per day. Call or write to

INCANDESCENT SUPPLY CO., INC.,
433 Sixth ave., Pittsburgh.

AGENTS—A bonanza for agents and good house canvassers; can make from $10 to $15 a day selling the KING OF LIGHTS; "Williom No. 6;" nothing like it; sells on sight. Call or address Williom Gas Light Co., 3421 Penn ave., Pittsburgh. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

AGENTS—For the best and most attractive dollar box of toilet soap ever offered; grand seller; big profits. 41 First National Bank building, Pittsburgh.

Situations—Male and Female.

WANTED—By a young man, place as helper in blacksmith shop, can drive on shoes. Address X 107, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

YOUNG WOMAN operator in Bell 'phone service for three years desires position as private exchange operator. Address Y 107, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN wants position. Address O 153, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

POSITIONS for first-class help, hotel cooks, chambermaids, dishwashers, waitresses, stenographers, housework girls. Quick service. 9242 Grant. 2241 Main.

WANT day's work for first-class washers and ironers, housecleaning, etc. Quick service. 9242 Grant. 2242 Main.

GERMAN girl wants situation; good cook and laundress. 1215 Esplanade, Allegheny.

Real Estate.

List your property with us
for sale or exchange.
Milligan Manor Lots a Specialty.
(The big money makers.)

THE J. M. LOOS REALTY CO.,
Real Estate, Loans, Insurance,
424 Fourth ave.

JUST like finding $20 per month. This is how it is done. Buy a lot in Chadwick Place plan, build your own house, and save paying out $20 per month for rent. Agent on the ground.

LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
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LIST YOUR PROPERTY with us. We have buyers waiting.

H. A. LAPPE COMPANY,
Real Estate Brokers,
Peoples Savings Bank Bldg.,
Bell 'phone 1058 Court.

We have customers for all kinds of real estate and business opportunities. See us for results.

S. V. T-H-O-M-P-S-O-N C-O.,
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List your real estate for sale with
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

DOUBLE the interest on your money by buying a lot in Chadwick; do it now for the number of buildings going up insures you a quick advance on your investment. Agent on the ground. Take Liberty and Lincoln or East Liberty via Center car to Lemington ave.

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S. V. T-H-O-M-P-S-O-N C-O.,
300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

WANTED—A party with $3,500 to purchase a business that will net 30 per cent; this investment will stand all investigation and is the safest and best investment on the market. Address J 152, The Gazette.

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300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

Houses.

List your real estate for sale with
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

WANTED—In Shadyside—$10,000 or $12,000 house; must be modern and have all improvements. Shadyside, P. O. Box 246.

Mortgage Loans.

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgages.
H. A. LAPPE COMPANY,
Real Estate Brokers,
Peoples Savings Bank Bldg.,
Bell 'phone 1058 Court.

Timber Lands.

WANTED—Timber lands of all descriptions; full particulars required; have purchasers. Box 81, Danielsville, Pa.

Farms.

List your real estate for sale with
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

Pupils.

RENO SHORTHAND SCHOOL.

Sessions daily and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.
Personal visitation invited.
Literature mailed upon request.
432 WOOD STREET.

NURSES' COLLEGE, Pueblo, Col.; six weeks' course; diplomas; opens April 1; unexcelled.

Partners.

WANTED—Partner, machinist and instrument maker, for light repairing; must have a few hundred dollars. Address D 105, The Gazette.

Miscellaneous.

CHADWICK lots are the best investment in East End. $10 down, $6 to $10 per month. Come out and see them before it is too late. Salesman on the ground.

LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
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PITTSBURGH smoke and soot make painting necessary to keep places handsome and neat. Merchants of other cities are glad to meet such an outlay and do business here. All kinds of painting done promptly and well by

P. J. BYRNE, Painter,
Both telephones. 634 Fifth ave.

List your real estate for sale with
S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
300 Times Bldg. 336 Fourth ave.

SADDLE HORSE wanted; give age, description and price. C. F. Wieland, Ellwood City, Pa.

PITTSBURGH CARPET CLEANING CO. Call Bell 'phone 3340 W Grant.

WANTED—Small stable in Allegheny. Answer George Hoffner, 943 Liberty st., Pittsburgh.

FEATHER BEDS wanted; highest price paid. Write G. 5123 Penn ave.

FOR RENT.—FURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

BERTHA ST., 24, Mt. Washington—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

BOQUET ST., 215, below Forbes—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; reasonable rent.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 643, Avalon—Furnished rooms, single or connecting; newly papered; breakfast optional.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 624, Avalon—Three furnished or unfurnished rooms; board if desired; all conveniences.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 604, Avalon—Nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; rent reasonable.

CAROLINA ST., 352, Oakland—Two nicely furnished rooms for young men; meals if desired.

CENTER AVE., 5526—Furnished rooms, all conveniences; table board.

DAWSON AVE., 40, Bellevue—Two or three rooms, light housekeeping, all conveniences; bath; for couple without children; three doors from car.

FIFTH AVE., 3320—Three unfurnished rooms by April 1, or three furnished housekeeping rooms immediately.

FIFTH AVE., 3324—Furnished second floor front room; all conveniences; gentlemen.

FOREST AVE., 502, Avalon—Second-story room, with board, gas and bath; 5 minutes from street car, 3 minutes from P. R. R. station; two gentlemen preferred.

FRAZIER ST., 2528—Two furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, bath, laundry, $4 week; Atwood car.

KNOXVILLE, Arabella st., 214—Desirable rooms; good neighborhood; reasonable.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

LYTLE ST., 4813, Hazelwood—Furnished front room; one or two gentlemen; bath, gas; board optional; immediate possession.

M'KEE PLACE, 310, near Bates, Oakland—Two furnished rooms, modern house; reasonable rent.

NORTH AVE., 529, Wilkinsburg—Three elegant furnished rooms; light housekeeping; references.

OAKLAND AVE., 226—Nice, second-floor room; all conveniences; rent moderate; gentlemen only.

OAKLAND AVE., 212—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; rent reasonable; near all cars.

PENN AVE., 502—For rent two connecting rooms; private bath.

PITT ST., 811, Wilkinsburg—Neatly furnished front room, modern conveniences; private family; gentlemen.

ROSS AVE., 1013, Wilkinsburg—Second floor front room, neatly furnished; private family; rent reasonable.

SHERIDAN AVE., 32, Bellevue—Two rooms, furnished, for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.

SOUTH AVE., 920, Wilkinsburg—Large well-furnished room, all conveniences; men preferred.

SOUTH AVE., 443, Wilkinsburg—Nicely furnished rooms, near P. R. R. station and street cars.

SOUTH AVE., 411, Wilkinsburg—1, 2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished.

WILMOT SQ., 15, Oakland—Two nicely furnished rooms, $20; singly, $10 and $12.

WYOMING ST., 41—Three-room flat, furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5551, E. E.—One or two beautiful furnished rooms, with or without board, in a private family; references.

AIKEN AVE., 932—Furnished room, pleasant location, near Fifth avenue car line.

AURELIA ST., 6424—Nicely furnished room; gas, bath, every modern convenience; gentlemen; $8 month.

CARVER ST., 216—Furnished front room; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred; near cars and station.

FIFTH AVE., 4708—Large, nicely furnished, well-kept room; $3.50 per week.

HOWE ST., 5429—For rent, elegantly furnished rooms; private family; meals close by; all conveniences.

KENTUCKY AVE., 5722—Large, nicely furnished front room, with alcove, or 2 adjoining rooms; all conveniences; near Fifth ave. car lines.

KENTUCKY AVE., 5723—Furnished alcove room, or two adjoining rooms; all conveniences; private family.

LINCOLN AVE., 332, near Frankstown—Small, pleasant, homelike furnished room; very reasonable.

MARGARETTA ST., 5910—One or two furnished front rooms; housekeeping if desired.

SCIOTA ST., 4783—Large front room, near good boarding; three car lines; suitable for two gentlemen; $2 per week. 4783 Sciota st.

SHADY AVE., 424—Large desirable room, with board, suitable for couple; modern conveniences; reference exchanged.

SHADY AVE., 305—Neatly furnished room, pleasant location; one gentleman only.

SHADY AVE., 229—Newly furnished front room; gentlemen only; 'phone 3432 R. Highland.

SHERIDAN AVE., 824—Two large well-lighted furnished rooms, with alcove; third floor; front outlook; entirely private; fitted for light housekeeping; 3 deep wardrobes; use of bath; references required; possession immediate; excellent location. Take Highland car to Stanton ave.

SOUTH OAKLAND SQUARE, 67—Large nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; Schenley park view.

STRATTON LANE, 7, near Highland—Nicely furnished front room; $15 or $10; private family; refined neighborhood; 'phone Highland 1784-W.

ST. CLAIR ST., 313, North—Nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; rent $10 month.

WALNUT ST., 5514, near Highland—Nicely furnished second floor room; fine location.

6 STRATTON LANE, East End, furnished front room; all conveniences.

Allegheny.

ALLEGHENY ROOM-RENTING AGENCY.

Do you want good tenants?

Do you want good rooms?

Furnished or unfurnished, or for light housekeeping, see Nuttall, 205 Federal st., Al'y.

ARCH ST., 623, Allegheny, corner Ohio—Second story front room; private family; rent reasonable.

ARCH ST., 801, Allegheny—Furnished front room; hot and cold water, with board.

BUENA VISTA ST., 1222, Allegheny—Furnished front parlor, both gases; also lady room-mate; board if desired.

ESPLANADE ST., 1213, Allegheny—Large furnished front room; bath and gases; one square from North ave. and parks; 15 minutes' walk to Pittsburgh; ideal location; cheap rent.

FEDERAL ST., 1415—Newly furnished front housekeeping room; kitchen connected; gases, bath, laundry.

FEDERAL ST., 1508, Allegheny—Furnished room, $8 month.

GARFIELD AVE., 1516, Allegheny—Nicely furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen; private family.

IRWIN AVE., 1722, Allegheny—Large second floor front room, furnished or unfurnished, suitable for one or two persons.

JACKSON ST., 520, Allegheny—Two nicely furnished rooms, 20 minutes' walk from Pittsburgh; ideal location. Bell 'phone 285-L Cedar.

LAMONT ST., 1028, Hollywood place—Furnished rooms; meals if desired; private family; reasonable.

MONITOR ST., 809, Allegheny—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms, all conveniences; reasonable.

MONTEREY ST., 1204, Allegheny—Nicely furnished second-story front room; all conveniences; private family; gentlemen preferred.

NORTH AVE., 948, WEST, Allegheny—Nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

POPLAR ST., 1428, Allegheny—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; rent reasonable.

RACE ST., 1326—Furnished front room; private family; all conveniences; very desirable.

RIDGE AVE., 1135, Allegheny—Couple nice rooms, furnished; light housekeeping; all conveniences; or meals.

SHERMAN AVE., 820, Allegheny—Large front rooms, first and second floor, gentlemen preferred.

TAGGART ST., 51, Allegheny—Furnished rooms, board if desired, every convenience; gentlemen preferred.

FOR RENT.—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

BIDDLE AVE., 438, Wilkinsburg—Five unfurnished rooms; all modern conveniences; reasonable rent.

DIVISION ST., 84, near Sheridan, Bellevue—Three connecting unfurnished rooms, every convenience; reasonable.

FRANKLIN ST., 752, Wilkinsburg—4 rooms, $14.00.

FRANKLIN AVE., 752, Wilkinsburg—4 rooms and bath, $14.

LLOYD ST., 521, near Sterrett school—Four unfurnished rooms with tile bath, including laundry; $20; reference required.

M'NAIR ST., 415, near Kelly, Wilkinsburg—Large alcove room, comfortably furnished; reasonable.

OAKLAND AVE., 228—Three unfurnished rooms; all conveniences; no children; small private family.

OPHELIA ST., 356 Oakland—One, two or three rooms, connecting; furnished or unfurnished; conveniences.

OPHELIA ST., 362, near Kennett square—Two or three rooms for housekeeping; references.

SHERIDAN AVE., 818—3 unfurnished rooms, with alcove, 2d floor; bath and range; couples only apply. Possession April 1.

WEST SWISSVALE AVE., 232, Edgewood—4 or 6 unfurnished rooms; modern conveniences. 360-J Wilkins.

WILMOT SQ., 27, Oakland—Two large unfurnished rooms; all modern conveniences; Atwood car.

East End.

HALE ST., 434, Brushton, near Hamilton—2 unfurnished rooms, $10; no children; conveniences; references.

LINCOLN AVE., 807—Two nice light unfurnished rooms, second floor; both gases; water.

LOWELL ST., 326—Three large, light unfurnished rooms; all conveniences; moderate rent; private family.

FOR RENT.—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

MEADOW ST., 117, near Larimer—Two furnished or two unfurnished rooms; all conveniences.

PARK AVE., 219—Three unfurnished rooms, bath, second floor; for man and wife.

RIPPEY ST., 5015—Three unfurnished rooms and alcove, second floor; gas, bath, laundry.

Allegheny.

ALPINE AVE., 505, Allegheny—Three unfurnished rooms, both gases; use bath and laundry.

ARCH ST., 900, Allegheny—One large first-floor front room, unfurnished (except carpets), doctor's office; also furnished or unfurnished rooms.

FAIRMONT ST.—Three rooms, $7.50 monthly, in the rear of 37 Fairmont st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, use of laundry and bath room, for light housekeeping; reference required. Apply 43 Kennedy ave., Allegheny.

FRANKLIN ST., 1207, Allegheny—Parlor, dining-room, kitchen, one bedroom; hot and cold water; gases; $18; references; no children.

KENWOOD AVE., 3, Allegheny—Three unfurnished rooms, use laundry and bath, gases, reasonable.

M'KEE PLACE, 3, Perrysville avenue district, Allegheny—Small private family will rent to refined couple (without children) three unfurnished second floor rooms; all conveniences.

PERRYSVILLE AVE., 2638, cor. Ellis, Allegheny—Five rooms and reception hall, all conveniences; fine location; to parties without children; references required; possession at once.

PERRYSVILLE AVE., 2721, Allegheny—For rent, two large and one small unfurnished rooms; bath, laundry, hot and cold water.

PERRYSVILLE AVE., 2501—Two rooms, 1st floor; hot and cold water, gas, conveniences.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

City and Suburban.

AVALON—The Ellernon, 617 California ave., near Birmingham ave.—Two front rooms, nicely furnished, for married couple, or two gentlemen, with board; on car line. 'Phone 9029 R. Bellevue.

CATO ST., 562—Large, newly furnished front room; board if desired; Atwood car.

DAVISON ST., 4518—Neatly furnished front room; board; private family; gentlemen; near Butler.

FIFTH AVE., 4205—Large room, with board for two, $52.00. Schenley, 795-R.

"THE MEYRAN," Meyran and Forbes st., Oakland—Large, pleasant rooms; all conveniences; excellent table.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5501, cor. College—Furnished rooms; first-class board; mealers served. 9115-J. Highland.

EVALINE ST., 323—Large, well furnished front room; breakfast and dinner; private family; gentlemen.

HERMITAGE ST., 7421—Two nicely furnished rooms and board; all conveniences; $5 and $6 week.

KEDRON AVE., 7127—One or two furnished rooms; one alcove; board if desired.

MARCHAND ST., 5309 and 5311—Large front room, second floor, one third floor, first-class board; all conveniences.

MILLVALE AVE., 245, cor. Liberty—Newly furnished rooms, board, $4; two each; Bell 'phone.

OAKLAND, corner of Center and Negley—A large, well-furnished room; first-class accommodations; billiard room, etc.; one minute to Roup station; references; gentlemen only. 'Phone 479 Highland.

SHADY AVE., 425—Desirable rooms; board for one or two; also first-class outside meals served; 'phone 2751-R, Highland.

"THE FRANKLIN," rooms and board, Sheridan and Hoeveler sts. Bell 'phone 8062-J. Highland.

WALNUT ST., 5505, Shadyside—Second floor furnished room; private family; breakfast if desired; gentlemen.

WINEBIDDLE AVE., 206—Four large, newly furnished rooms, 3 connecting for six or more gentlemen; first-class table board.

Allegheny.

BELVEDERE—Good rooms and board. 506 Union ave., Allegheny.

SANDUSKY ST., 818, Allegheny—Boarders, mealers, all conveniences; gentlemen preferred; reasonable terms.

WANTED.—ROOMS AND BOARD.

GENTLEMAN and wife desire parlor, bedroom and private connecting bath with board, or bedroom, bath and board in East End from April 1; references given and required. Address for three days room 1306 Park building.

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping in Allegheny, within walking distance of business center of Pittsburgh, by couple without children; can furnish references. Address W 121, The Gazette.

WANTED—By young woman, in Wilkinsburg, near station, room, breakfast, dinner, in private family; rent reasonable. Address Miss F., 427 Kelly ave., Wilkinsburg.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

EAST END DWELLINGS.
BEN VENUE AVE.

Brick, 8 rooms, gases, electric light, laundry, instantaneous water heater, furnace, porches; $50 per month.

WIGHTMAN ST.

Brick, 10 rooms, hot and cold water, natural and artificial gases, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, instantaneous water heater, furnace; front and rear porches; $60 per month.

MARYLAND AVE.

Near Elmer st., brick, 10 rooms, reception hall, gases, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, instantaneous water heater, furnace, front and rear porches, hardwood floors; $60 per month.

FORBES ST.

Near Craig st., brick, 11 rooms, natural gas, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, furnace, front and rear porches; $65 per month.

BAYWOOD ST.

Brick, 12 rooms, center hall, hot and cold water, gases, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, furnace, front and rear porches; $65 per month.

NORTH CRAIG ST.

Brick, 10 rooms, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, instantaneous water heater, furnace, front and rear porches; $83.34 per month.

SHADY AVE.

Near Homewood ave., brick, 12 rooms, gases, electric light, laundry, stationary tubs, instantaneous water heater, furnace, front and rear porches; $100 per month.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND PERMIT SEE EXCLUSIVE AGENT.

UNION REALTY COMPANY,
Penn Avenue and Ninth Street.

FOR RENT.
SHADYSIDE.

419 Neville st., near Wallingford, brick house, 11 rooms, reception hall and two baths, cemented cellar, both gases, electric light, instantaneous water heater, cheval mirrors and every modern convenience; near all car lines. Inquire Rea & Co., Pork Packers, 612 Second avenue.

FOR RENT—CLEARVIEW.
MT. LEBANON DISTRICT.

New modern brick 11-room house; also 7-room house; immediate possession; 25 minutes from postoffice over Mt. Washington tunnel line. Take Mt. Lebanon or Charleroi cars.

MT. LEBANON LAND AND TRUST CO.,
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RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Presbyterian.

NORTH, Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, the Rev. Dr. Henry D. Lindsay—11, the Rev. Dr. David Gregg, president of the Western Theological seminary, will preach; 7:45, "Who Can Forgive Sins?"

SECOND, Eighth street, below Penn avenue, S. Edward Young—10:30, "The Tally the World Keeps on Us;" 7:30, "How Much Is Left of Christianity in Pittsburgh?"

SHADYSIDE, Amberson avenue, the Rev. Dr. J. Kinsey Smith—11, "The Sovereignty of God's Call; the Freedom of Man's Answer;" 7:45, "The Revenges of Memory."

BELLEFIELD, Fifth and Bellefield avenues, the Rev. Daniel Russell—11, communion service and reception of members; 8, "The Centurian at the Cross."

SIXTH, Forbes and Murray avenues, the Rev. J. Shane Nichols—11, sermon by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Parry; 7:45, illustrated lecture on the life of Christ.

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, the Rev. A. R. Van Fossen—11, "Realizing Visions;" 7:30, "Thine Heart Toward the Highway."

MANCHESTER, Franklin street, Allegheny, D. A. Green—10:45 and 7:30, services conducted by the Rev. F. S. Brenneman of Tarentum.

MELROSE AVENUE, Allegheny, the Rev. A. W. Verner—11, "The Spirit of the Lord and Liberty;" 7:30, "Drawing Nigh to God."

LAWRENCEVILLE, Thirty-ninth street, the Rev. A. E. Linn—11, "No Man Liveth Unto Himself;" 7:3, "God Will Help Me."

FIRST, Nixon theater, the Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander—10:45, "Individualism;" 7:45, "The Sacrifice of Inclination."

FORTY-THIRD STREET, the Rev. U. S. Greves—10:30, "Signs of Revival;" 7:45, "Cold Waters and a Thirsty Soul."

THIRD, Fifth and South Negley, the Rev. Dr. W. L. McEwan—11, "The Prophet Joel;" 7:45, "The Temptation."

EAST LIBERTY, Penn and Highland avenues, the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Sneed—11 and 7:45, usual services.

FIRST, Arch street, Allegheny, the Rev. Dr. D. S. Kennedy—10:45, communion service; 7:45, "The Narrow Gate."

PARK AVENUE, corner Frankstown, Dr. H. B. Hummel—11, communion; 7:45, "Watch and Pray."

TABERNACLE, the Rev. Allan D. Carlile—11 and 7:45, usual services.

FRIENDSHIP AVENUE, John M. Gaston—11 and 7:45, usual services.

United Presbyterian.

ATLANTIC AVENUE, McKeesport, the Rev. James E. Walker—10:30, "How King Evil-Merodach Treated King Jehorachin;" 7:30, annual sermon to the Women's Missionary society by the Rev. George E. Hawes.

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress street, the Rev. Dr. J. K. McClurkin—11, "A Straight Question From a Heathen Monarch;" 7:45, "Buried Among the Kings Because He had Done Good."

SECOND, North Negley and Stanton avenues, the Rev. S. W. McKelvey—10:45, "The Impelling Power of a Great Purpose;" 7:45, the Rev. W. E. McCullough will lead the worship.

SIXTH, North Highland avenue, East End, the Rev. Dr. R. M. Russell—11, "A World-Wide Dispensation of the Spirit;" 7:45, "Christ's Own Defining of the Gospel."

THIRD, Diamond street, the Rev. Dr. J. T. McCrory—10:45, "How a Coward Was Filled With Courage;" 7:45, "The Great Awakening in Wales."

SECOND, Allegheny, the Rev. Dr. W. H. McMillan—11, "How Can a Man Be Just With God?" 7:30, "A Death Grapple With Sin."

FIRST, Oakland, the Rev. W. J. Reid—10:45, "A Fight for a Soul;" 7:45, "A White Stone With a Secret Name."

FIFTH, Allegheny, the Rev. Dr. J. G. Kennedy—11, "Enduring Hardness;" 7:30, "In a Far Country."

NORTH END, Allegheny, the Rev. R. C. Douds—11 and 7:45, preaching by Andrew Magill.

KNOXVILLE, W. H. Murray—11, Dr. R. G. Ferguson will preach; 7:45, "Profit and Loss."

Methodist Episcopal.

SMITHFIELD STREET, the Rev. W. H. W. Rees—11, the Rev. Dr. C. N. Grandison, the negro orator, will preach; 8, Prof. Gilchrist will speak on the work of the Anti-Saloon League.

MARY S. BROWN MEMORIAL, Beechwood boulevard and Hazelwood avenue, the Rev. Dr. C. V. Wilson—10:30, "High Time to Awaken;" 7:30, "The Sluggard."

UNION, Pennsylvania avenue and Manhattan street, Allegheny, D. L. Johnson—10:30, "Power of the Gospel;" 7:30, the Rev. G. A. Singer will preach.

CALVARY, Allegheny and Beech avenues, the Rev. Dr. James M. Thoburn, Jr.—10:30, "Privileges of the Light;" 7:45, "Difficulties of Salvation."

PACIFIC AVENUE, the Rev. Earl G. Lindsey—11, "The Kingdom of God and the Church;" 7:45, the Rev. Dr. James Meechem will preach.

CENTENARY, Wylie avenue and Kirkpatrick street, the Rev. John H. Daniston—10:30, "The Law of Spiritual Freedom;" 7:30, "Lost Chords."

FIRST, Center and Liberty avenues, the Rev. Dr. Daniel Dorchester, Jr.—11, "The Divine Providence;" 7:45, "An Old Dramatic Story."

LEMINGTON AVENUE, A. S. Saxman—Morning, "A King in Exile;" evening, "The True Worth of the Christian Life."

LINCOLN AVENUE, the Rev. John L. Hillman—11 and 7:45, sermon by the pastor; 7:45, "A Big Price for Good Pasture."

BUENA VISTA STREET, Allegheny, the Rev. W. R. Moore—10:30, preaching; 7:30, "The Cost of Great Purposes."

NORTH END, Allegheny, the Rev. R. B. Cuthbert—10:45, "Some Sources of Refreshment;" 7:30, usual services.

WEST END, South Main street, the Rev. D. Flanigan—10:30, "The Divine Christ;" 7:30, regular services.

PLEASANT VALLEY, the Rev. Z. M. Silbaugh—10:45, "The Christian's Hope;" 7:45, "Belshazzer."

HOMEWOOD AVENUE, J. T. Pender—10:45, the Lord's supper; 7:45, "Dispossessing the Devil."

SIMPSON, the Rev. Howard E. Lloyd—10:45, "Tests of Love;" 7:30, "What Is Thy Life?"

Baptist.

FOURTH AVENUE, at Grant street, the Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge—Morning, "The Gospel in India and Assam;" evening, "Types of Hearers in Modern Society."

UNION, South Nineteenth street, the Rev. A. A. Neilis—10:30, "The School of Joseph;" 7:30, program by the Woman's Missionary society.

FIRST, McKeesport, the Rev. J. A. Maxwell—10:30, "Levels of Christian Living;" 7:30, "The Day of Salvation Today."

BETH EDEN, Chartiers street, Allegheny, the Rev. J. S. Hutson—10:45, "Spiritual Freedom;" 7:30, evangelistic services.

OAKLAND, the Rev. A. R. Stark—10:45, "Membership In the Kingdom of God;" 7:45, "The Welsh Revival."

SHADY AVENUE, near Penn, the Rev. Dr. W. A. Stanton—11, "The Lost Christ;" 7:45, "The Lost Man."

HOMEWOOD, the Rev. Scott Taft—10:45, preaching; 7:45 p. m., baptismal service.

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CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, Mt. Vernon street and Lang avenue, Robert W. Woods—11, "He That Doeth the Will of God Abideth Forever;" 7:45, "Temptation—The Provided Way of Escape."

GRACE (English), Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny, G. Irving Lenker—10:30, "Workers With God;" 7:45, vespers and sermon by the Rev. J. H. A. Kitzmiller.

BRUSHTON AVENUE, corner Hamilton avenue, S. N. Carpenter—11:00, "Who is This?" 7:30, "The Ideal Husband." Lenten service Wednesday evening.

ST. MARK'S, North avenue and Middle street, Allegheny, Eli Miller—11, "Our Fallow Ground;" 7:45, "Luther and Luther Scenes," stereopticon.

FIRST, New Kensington, U. A. Hankey—11, "The Divine Nature of the Redeemer;" 7:30, "Heeding the Command to Work in the Lord's Vineyard."

TRINITY, Stockton avenue and Arch street, Allegheny, A. J. Turkle, D. D.—10:45, "Accompanying Through Trial;" 7:45, "Sinfulness of Sin."

MT. OLIVET, Rhine street and Robinson road, Allegheny, C. B. Weaver—10:30, "Perfect Through Suffering;" 7:45, "Moral Hunger."

GRACE, Hamilton and Tinsbury streets, Allegheny, W. H. Nichols—10:45, "The Tempted Christ;" 7:45, "Finding One's Life by Losing It."

EMMANUEL, Etna, J. M. Guss—10:30, "Profitable Observance of the Christian Lententide;" 7:30, "Our Duty to the Bystander."

HEBRON, East Pittsburgh, H. D. Hoover—11, "Selfdenial;" 6:30, Christian Endeavor anniversary; 7:30, "God Cares for His Own."

MT. ZION, Forty-fourth and Sherman streets, C. P. Wiles—10:45, "One House—Two Foundations;" 7:45, "The Heroism of Women."

BETHANY, Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, Dr. John Weidley—11, "The Glorious Victory;" 7:45, "The True Contest."

ST. MATTHEW'S, Crafton, W. E. Brown—10:45, "The Temptation of Jesus;" 7:45, "Christ and Nicodemus."

FIRST ENGLISH, Sharpsburg, J. Harry Main—11, "The Great Temptation;" 7:45, "Joseph Made Known."

CALVARY, Wilkinsburg, J. Bradley Markward—11, "Temptation;" 7:45, "A Pillar in the Temple of God."

TRINITY, Tarentum, B. E. Shaner—11, "Who is Proficient for These Things?" 7:30, "Our Daily Bread."

ST. LUKE'S, Federal street extension and Perrysville avenue, J. W. Romich—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

FIRST, Aspinwall, Herman C. Reller—11, "Practical Keeping of Lent;" 7:45, "A Remarkable Woman."

FIRST, Braddock, William J. Burber—10:45, "Temptation of Christ;" 7:45, "The Christian and His Trials."

BETHEL, Fulton street and Washington avenue, Allegheny, C. E. King—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT, 814 Anderson street, H. C. Erdman—7:45, "Jehovah, Our Strength."

ST. JOHN'S, Forbes and Jumonville streets, W. H. Fehr—10:45, "Temptation;" 7:30, Lenten vesper services.

ST. PAUL'S, Second avenue and Mansion street, A. J. Bean—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

TRINITY, McKeesport, P. T. E. Stockslager—11, "Christ's Second Temptation;" 7:30, "The Flood."

ST. JOHN'S, East McKeesport, William L. Heuser—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

MT. ZION, Franklin road, Allegheny, T. S. Brown—10:30 and 7:45, usual services.

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ALPHA, Turtle Creek, J. Elmer Dittle—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

CHRIST'S, Millvale, C. A. Beery—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

FIRST, Duquesne, W. Ira Guss—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

MESSIAH, Homestead—7:30, usual service.

Methodist Protestant.

SECOND, Fifth avenue and Marion street, L. A. Barnes—10:45, "The Relations of the Minister and the Physician to the Family;" 7:45, special revival services.

MT. WASHINGTON, Virginia avenue and Bigham street, E. C. Lone—10:30, "Imperfect 'Perfection;'" 7:30, "The Sovereignty of God."

Christian.

CENTRAL, Pride street, the Rev. C. L. Thurgood—10:30, "A Trumpet, a Lamp and a Sword;" 7:45, "The Chief of Sinners on Straight Street."

FIRST, Arch street, Allegheny, the Rev. Dr. Wallace Tharp—Morning, "The Golden Rule;" evening, "A Student Studying Himself."

ROWAN AVENUE, the Rev. E. E. Manley—11, "Seeking First Things;" 8, "The Altar of Incense."

Reformed.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, Allegheny, the Rev. A. C. Dieffenbach—11, sermon by the Rev. J. B. Kerschner; 7:45, "Have the Sacraments Any Virtue?"

CHRIST, Brushton, the Rev. J. Grant Walter—11, "The Purple Cup;" 3:30, installation service.

Miscellaneous.

ST. PAUL'S GERMAN EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT, East and First streets, Allegheny, August F. Bender—10:45, "The Prodigal's Resolution, Return and Reception;" 7:30, "The Penitent Thief."

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Penn avenue and Seventh street—4 p. m., the young men's meeting will be addressed by the Rev. John Weidley, D. D.

SECOND CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Penn and Brushton avenues, Dr. W. L. Stevens—Morning, "Secret of Church Prosperity;" evening, "Marvelous Faith."

PURITAN CONGREGATIONAL, South Twenty-second street, George March—10:30, "Unsearchable Riches;" 7:30, "The Friendship of Jesus."

FIRST UNITARIAN, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, L. Walter Mason—11, "Does It Make Any Difference What We Think? or, Some of the Evils of Mysticism."

FIRST SOCIETY OF NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH, Sandusky and Isabella streets, Allegheny, John R. Stephenson—10:45, "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

CHURCH OF GOD, College avenue and Spahr street, East End, J. I. Updegraph—11, "Our First Love;" 7:45, "The Life of Joseph," (illustrated).

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, Miller street—10:45, speaker, H. M. Elvin; usual service.

EIGHTH STREET REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN, D. McAllister—10:30, "The Slavery of Sin;" 8, "Mortality Swallowed Up of Life."

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH, Bayard and Dithridge streets, Oakland—11 and 7:45, services will be conducted by A. V. Casselman.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, 24 West Lacock street, Allegheny, G. Clinton Day—2:30, 4:30 and 7:30.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, Bouquet street, Oakland—10:45 and 7:45, speaker, Mrs. C. L. Stevens.

WYLIE AVENUE, corner Congress, C. H. Pridgeon—10:45, 3 and 8, services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Clyde street—11 and 8, "Matter."

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Allegheny, Pa., March 10, 1905.
THE partnership heretofore existing between John W. Tate and Chas. E. Keogh, contracting painters, under the firm name of Tate & Keogh, at 106 North ave., Allegheny, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. John W. Tate will collect all outstanding bills and settle all debts.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

JOHN M. GOEHRING, Attorney-at-Law, 401 Grant street, Pittsburg, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, March 21, 1905, by Edward Kress, Burt V. [illegible] and Severin Wagenich, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Kress Brothers Wagon Company, the character and object of which is for the purpose of manufacturing, repairing and selling wagons, trucks, buggies, carts, drays, carriages and other vehicles, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. John M. Goehring, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, March 20, 1905, by John Chein, Andrew Stayey, John Kozema and others, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Slavonic-Greek Mercantile Company, the character and object of which is the buying and selling of groceries, drygoods, hardware, boots and shoes, flour and feed and merchandise, etc., at retail, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Milliken & Crammer, solicitors, 403 Grant st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WALLACE & WATSON, Attorneys-at-Law, Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, April 4, 1905, by John E. Flint, Rowland T. Erving and Edward H. Stoner, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter of an intended corporation to be called "Flint, Erving & Stoner Company," the character and object of which is to manufacture, buy and sell lumber, wood and articles of furniture manufactured from wood, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of such act of assembly and supplements thereto. Wallace & Watson, solicitors.

L. C. BARTON, Proctor, No. 304 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. In the District court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania. Roy A. Neel against the gasoline "Dauntless," No. 5, May term, 1905. In admiralty. Notice is hereby given that, having been appointed by the said court commissioner, to make report and distribution of the funds realized from the sale of the said vessel, I will attend to the duties of the said appointment at my office, room No. 309 Federal building, Pittsburgh, in said district, on Monday, March 20, 1905, at 2 p. m., where and when all parties interested may attend. William T. Lindsey, Commissioner.

S. G. NOLIN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 437 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mary E. Williams, deceased, late of Allegheny City, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Thomas F. Williams, executor, No. 509 Preble avenue, Allegheny City, Pa.

W. R. ERRETT, Attorney-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that ancillary letters of administration on the estate of Annabella Fleming, deceased, late of Rock Island, Ill., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Safe Deposit and Trust Co., Ancillary Administrator, Fourth ave. and Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration, C. T. A., on the estate of Robert Withrow, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Joseph Moody, Administrator, C. T. A., Beaver, Pa.

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There will be sold by public auction at the town of Gravenhurst, in the District of Muskoka, at the ALBION HOTEL, on Saturday, the 18th day of March, 1905, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the property known as the "Island P" Summer Hotel, consisting of 10 acres, and on which is erected a substantial building, accommodating 150 guests, and with all modern improvements, and with good bathing and fishing facilities.
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ALL AROUND ADVANCE IN NEW YORK STOCKS

Pennsylvania Group Very Strong, With a Sensational Rise in Chesapeake & Ohio—U. S. Glass and River Coal Pref. Advanced.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was active and buoyant throughout the session. A score of stocks advanced to the highest prices yet quoted on this movement, and the sales for the day exceeded 1,500,000 shares. The movement was not confined to any particular stock, but here and there the rise in a particular specialty was so sensational as to make it conspicuous for the time being. This was the case with Chesapeake & Ohio, which, on enormous transactions, advanced nearly 8 points to 58 during the closing half hour of the session and closed near the highest of the day. Federal Smelting and Mining was another example of skyrocketing, advancing from 106 to 115 and closing at a net gain of 5 per cent for the day.

At the opening Wall street had the benefit of strong quotations for American securities from London and a fair amount of buying for that account. English consols again advanced, and foreign government securities generally advanced on the theory that the condition of affairs around Mukden foreshadowed an early peace, and therefore a cessation of war loans, which would otherwise come into competition with bonds already on the market. The high class stocks were all strong in the early dealings under the leadership of New York Central. Later the entire Pennsylvania group became strong, and with the exception of Reading all advanced to the highest prices of the year. Pennsylvania touched 145⅞, Baltimore & Ohio 111 and Norfolk & Western 85¾. The possibility of an increase in dividends on Baltimore & Ohio and Norfolk & Western was a factor in the rise in these stocks. Canadian Pacific, which continues to report large gains in gross earnings while some of the American roads are reporting losses, was a strong favorite with foreign investors and advanced to 148⅝, the highest for more than a year. St. Paul advanced to 181⅛, also a new high point. Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were also firm and higher.

In the industrial list the strongest stocks in the early dealings were the copper and smelting issues. American Smelting common advanced to 99½, the highest ever quoted. Amalgamated Copper advanced to 81⅝, the highest since early last December, and Anaconda Copper advanced to 122¾, the highest for more than a year. United States Steel common made a new high mark at 36⅞, and closed at 36¾. The preferred reached its former high price of 96¼. The minor iron and steel issues responded to the general advancing tendency, Tennessee Coal and Iron rallying to 93⅛ and Colorado Fuel and Iron to 53. The dealings throughout the day were well distributed and the fact noted in Thursday's market—the absence of any special news—was again conspicuous yesterday.

Very little attention was paid to the estimates of the currency movement for the week, and while today's bank statement is generally expected to show a further decrease in surplus reserve, the prospect had no appreciable effect upon call loan rates, which remained unchanged at 2½@2¾ per cent.

Wheat was again weak and lower, and closed at a sharp net decline, the selling being in the nature of discounting the government's report of reserves in farmers' hands, which were estimated at 111,000,000 bushels, or 20.1 per cent of the total crop.

The strongest stocks in the Pittsburgh market were River Coal preferred and United States Glass. The latter advanced to 61, the highest ever quoted, and closed at 60⅝ bid. River Coal preferred opened higher at 28½ and advanced to 29¼, closing at that price bid. In the case of United States Glass the strength is based upon increased dividend possibilities, while that connected with River Coal preferred had no explanation, except that the company had succeeded in sending another shipment of coal south and that the market there is in good condition. Pittsburgh Coal common sold unchanged at the uniform price of 20½, while the preferred, after rallying to 80, receded to and closed at 79⅝. Steel stocks were less active, but remained firm. National Fire Proofing was fairly active and advanced to 35⅛. The Independent Brewing stocks and Pittsburgh Brewing common closed fractionally lower, but the bonds were steady and unchanged. Westinghouse Electric second preferred advanced to 91⅛ and the first preferred to 96. Switch and Signal declined to 85. Tonopah Extension declined to $4 25, but rallied to $4 55 bid at the close. The remainder of the market was without special feature.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

120 F. Proof pfd.	34⅞	100 P. Coal com.	20½
50 do	35	100 do	20½
200 do	35	100 do	20½
50 do	35	100 do	20½
5 Crucible com.	12⅝	50 Ind. Brw. com	17½
35 U. S. Stl. pfd.	96	60 Ind. Brw. pfd.	40¼
4 do	95⅞	40 do	40¼
10 Ohio Fuel	41⅛	10 do	40¼
100 P. Coal pfd.	79⅝	10 do	40¼
50 do	79⅝		

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

200 P. Coal com.	20½	100 U. S. Stl. com.	36⅜
100 do	20½	200 do	36⅜
50 P. Coal pfd.	79⅝	100 do	36⅞
75 R. Coal com.	10	9-15 M. W. war.	39
60 Ind. Brw. pfd.	40¼	6-15 do	39
3 F. Proof com.	11¼	10 Bank of Pgh., N. A.	195
25 Electric 2ds.	91		
115 do	91	$1000 Ind. Brw. 6s.	108¼

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10 P. Coal pfd.	80	10 Crucible com.	12⅝
15 do	80	100 Sewer Pipe	38⅝
100 F. Proof pfd.	35⅛	100 Riv. Coal pfd.	28½
100 do	35⅛	21 do	28¾
100 do	35⅛	10 Bank of Pgh., N. A.	195
100 do	35⅛		
50 Ind. Brw. pfd.	40¼	$1000 Brownsville Ave. 5s.	111½
25 do	40¼		
3 R. Coal com.	9⅝	$1000 P., McK. & C. 5s	102⅝
25 P. Brw. pfd.	47¼		
200 Phila. pfd.	48	$4000 Ind. Brw. 6s.	108¼
50 P. Brw. com.	27⅜	$1000 do	108¼
10 do	27⅜	$1000 do	108¼

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

5 Switch com.	86	104 P. Pl. Glass.	127½
100 U. S. Glass.	59	20 do	127½
10 do	59	35 Sewer Pipe	38⅝
50 F. Proof pfd.	35	$500 Ind. Brew. 6s scrip	108¼
100 do	35		
100 Ton'p'h Ext.	4.25	$500 do	108¼
10 do	4.25	50 Common. Tr.	200
10 P. Brw. com.	27½	5 R. E. Trust	252

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

15 Ind. Brw. com.	17½	30 P. Brw. com.	27⅜
100 U. S. Glass.	60	20 do	27⅜
100 do	60	50 P. Coal pfd.	79⅝
50 do	60	25 Electric 2nds.	91⅛
50 do	60	2 Con. Ice com.	8
50 do	60	25 Ind. Brw. pfd.	40¼
10 M. L. & H.	38⅝	50 Crucible com.	12⅝
50 do	38½	50 do	12⅝
5 do	38⅝	25 F. Proof com.	11¼
150 P. Brw. com.	27⅜	5 Crucible pfd.	64½
40 do	27⅜		

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

15 M. L. & H.	38⅝	200 Riv. Coal pfd.	29
100 P. Brw. com.	27⅜	10 do	29
100 do	27¼	10 do	29
27 Electric 1sts.	96	100 do	29¼
100 Switch com.	85	50 do	29¼
5 P. Oil & Gas.	69	50 U. S. Stl. pfd.	96¼
10 do	69	60 do	96¼
25 do	69	$1000 Ind. Brw. 6s.	108¼
10 U. S. Glass	61	$3000 do	108¼

Summary.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	C'ge.
2	Con. Ice com.	8	8	8	—½
165	Crucible Steel	12¾	12⅝	12⅝	0
5	Do pfd	64½	64½	64½	+⅝
28	Fire Proofing	11¼	11¼	11¼	0
970	Do pfd	35⅛	34⅝	35	+⅛
65	Ind. Brewing	17½	17½	17½	—½
280	Do pfd	40¼	40¼	40¼	—⅝
80	M. L. & H.	38⅝	38½	38⅝	+⅜
10	Ohio Fuel	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	+¼
200	Phila. Co. pfd.	48	48	48	0
510	Pgh. Brewing	27½	27¼	27⅜	—⅛
25	Do pfd	47¼	47¼	47¼	+⅛
700	Pgh. Coal	20½	20½	20½	0
275	Do pfd	80	79⅝	79⅝	0
40	P. Oil & Gas	69	69	69	—1
124	Pgh. Pl. Glass	127½	127½	127½	+1½
78	River Coal	10	*9⅝	*9⅝	0
491	Do pfd	29¼	28½	29¼	+1¼
195	Sewer Pipe	38⅝	38½	38½	—⅛
110	Tonopah Ext.	4.25	4.25	4.25	—.05
105	Un. Switch com.	*86	85	85	—1
470	U. S. Glass	†61	59	61	+2
400	U. S. Steel	36⅝	36⅜	36⅝	+½
149	Do pfd	96¼	*95¾	96¼	+¼
27	W. Elec. 1sts.	96	96	96	+2
165	Do 2ds	91⅛	91	91⅛	+⅜
	BANKS, ETC.				
20	Bk. of P., N. A.	195	195	195	—1
50	Com'n Trust	200	200	200	0
5	R. Est. Trust	252	252	252	+2
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	BONDS.				
$11000	Ind. Brew. 6s	108¼	108¼	108¼	0
1000	Brow. Av. 5s	111½	111½	111½	—½
1000	P. M'K. & C. 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	0
$13000					
1	Mon. W. war	39	39	39	—1
1000	I. Brew. 6s scrip	108¼	108¼	108¼	....

*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	$ 50	145	....
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	....	193
Commonwealth Trust	100	200	205
Equitable Trust	100	185	190
Federal National	100	205	210
First National, Pittsburgh	100	....	600
Fifth Avenue Bank	50	77	....
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	182	199
Iron City Trust	100	....	135½
Keystone	100	....	400
Marine National	100	....	160
Metropolitan National	100	....	190
Monongahela National	100	....	308
Merchants Savings & Trust	50	55	59
Pittsburgh Trust	100	....	470
Real Estate Trust	100	250	....
Traders & Mechanics	50	70	....
Allegheny Banks—			
Bank of Secured Savings	50	....	105
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	38½	38⅝
Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.	50	....	33⅛
Citizens Traction	50	68	70
Consolidated Ice	50	8⅛	....
Do preferred	50	....	39¼
Crucible Steel	100	12½	12¾
Do preferred	100	64½	64⅝
Harbison-Walker Co.	100	....	11
Luster Mining	10	11½	12½
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	38⅛	38⅝
Marsden	100	5	5¼
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	....
Monongahela River Coal	50	10	10¼
Do preferred	50	29¼	29½
National Fire Proofing	50	11¼	11½
Do preferred	50	34⅝	35
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	41⅛	41⅝
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas	100	67½	69
Peoples Pipage	25	24	25½
Philadelphia Co.	50	43¾	44
Do preferred	50	....	48
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	6	....
Do preferred	50	17	20
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	27¼	27⅜
Do preferred	50	47¼	47½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	20⅜	20⅝
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	127	130
Standard Underground Cable	100	....	205
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	4.55	4.70
United Traction preferred	50	49½	....
Union Switch & Signal	50	84½	86
United States Glass	100	60⅝	....
United States Steel	100	36⅝	36⅝
Westinghouse Electric	50	91⅛	....
Do 1st pfd	50	96¼	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	148	148½
Ohio Tonopah	1	.35	.38
P. & A. Telephone	100	15	....
Do preferred	100	50	....
Independent Brewing	50	17	18
Do preferred	50	40	40½
Pittsburgh-Buffalo pfd.	100	110	....
BONDS.			
Harbison-Walker Refrac. 5s.	....	103	....
Monongahela River Coal 6s.	....	112½	....
North Side Bridge 6s	....	95	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s.	....	102⅝	102¾
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113½	114
Independent Brewing 6s	....	108	108¼

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The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

United States Glass sold at 61, the highest price ever quoted.

River Coal preferred advanced to and closed at 29¼ bid.

Westinghouse Electric first preferred advanced to 96 and the second preferred to 91⅛.

National Fire Proofing preferred more active, advancing to 35⅛.

Brewing stocks were lower, but the bonds remained steady.

IN WALL STREET.

Stock market active and buoyant, closing near the top.

Sales foot up 1,531,900 shares stock and $4,470,000 bonds.

Chesapeake & Ohio jumped 8 points to 58 on enormous dealings.

The entire Pennsylvania group was strong at the best prices of the year.

Copper, Smelting and the Steel stocks were all strong and higher.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

An unfavorable feature of the situation, but one of minor importance just now, because of the continued ease in money, is the reduction of our foreign trade balance. This has been due entirely to the great falling off in our exports of breadstuffs, amounting for the seven completed months of the fiscal year to more than $80,000,000. This decrease is largely due to the relatively high price of wheat, which is still 20 cents a bushel higher than at the corresponding date a year ago for the May option. The latter has been sustained by the operations of a clique which has been credited with a desire to "corner" the shorts, but while this movement is in progress other growers of wheat, and particularly Argentina, are supplying the foreign markets. The manipulators will probably be encouraged to tighten their grip on the market by the figures given out yesterday afternoon by the government, showing the estimated amount of grain in farmers' hands on the 1st inst., and the percentage which these reserves bear to the total crop. The amount of wheat is the smallest for any year since 1897, and the percentage to the total crop is the lowest since 1895, being 20.1 per cent, as compared with a 10-year average of 23.7 per cent. The amount of corn and oats as well as the percentage is larger than last year, but is below the 10-year average. Following are the comparative figures:

Wheat in farmers' hands March 1—

	Reserves.	Pct.
1905	111,000,000	20.1
1904	122,000,000	20.8
1903	164,047,000	24.5
1902	173,703,000	23.
1901	128,100,000	24.5
1900	158,700,000	29.
1899	198,056,000	29.3
1898	121,320,000	22.9
1897	88,149,000	20.6
Corn in farmers' hands—		
1905	954,000,000	38.7
1904	839,000,000	37.4
1903	1,050,652,000	41.6
1902	443,487,000	29.1
1901	776,200,000	36.9
1900	773,730,000	37.2
1899	800,500,000	41.6
1898	783,000,000	41.1
1897	1,164,000,000	51.
Oats in farmers' hands—		
1905	347,000,000	38.8
1904	273,000,000	34.9
1903	365,000,000	36.9
1902	227,502,000	30.9
1901	292,800,000	36.2
1900	290,000,000	36.5

Only 5 shares Crucible Steel preferred changed hands on the local board yesterday and only 165 shares of the common. Both were unchanged on the local board yesterday and stocks were leaders of the market in point of activity. There was a little more doing in United States Steel and the local market kept close to the New York parity.

Nearly 1,000 shares Fire Proofing preferred changed hands at prices ranging from 34⅝ to 35⅛. Only 28 shares of the common were traded in and the price remained unchanged at 11¼.

United States Glass has been one of the strongest industrials in the local market for months past, and by selling yesterday at 61 scored the highest price ever quoted. Just before this price was recorded 60 was bid for an unlimited amount of the stock, but there were no offerings. It is closely held and represents at this price a handsome profit for the people who took an interest in the property two years ago when the stock was quoted around 39.

On the purchase of less than 500 shares River Coal preferred advanced to 29¼. The market for the stock is so narrow that the price fluctuates rapidly when an attempt is made to execute orders.

Tonopah Extension declined to $4 25 and recovered to $4 55 bid at the close. On the last day of January the stock made its record price of $6 10, and between that price and $3, where it started the year, 62,000 shares changed hands. From $6 10 down to $4 25 a trifle less than 8,000 shares have changed hands. Some of the recent selling is thought to represent profit-taking on stock bought early in January below $4 a share.

A small lot of Bank of Pittsburgh sold at 195, a decline of $1 a share, and later more was offered at 193, the market closing without bid. Commonwealth Trust sold unchanged at 200, and 5 shares Real Estate Trust sold at 252, an advance of 2 per cent. Federal National bank was firmer at 205 bid, 210 asked.

Two $500 lots of Independent Brewing bond scrip changed hands at 108¼, the first transactions of record. The bonds sold at 108¼ and more were offered at that price. The common stock sold at 17½ and closed at 17 bid. The preferred sold at 40¼ and was subsequently offered at 40½, with 40 bid.

Pittsburgh Oil and Gas declined 1 per cent to 69 and was offered at that price. Manufacturers Light and Heat advanced to 38⅝ and a small lot of Ohio Fuel Supply sold at 41⅛. Philadelphia Company preferred was unchanged at 48.

Pittsburgh Plate Glass advanced 1½ per cent to 127½ and closed at 127 bid.

A sale of Pittsburgh Coal 5s was reported at 104 and interest.

The gross earnings of Canadian Pacific for the first week in March increased $100,000.

H. H. Frothingham, the New York money broker, says: "It has been rumored the past two days that two large trust companies of Chicago have been offering to lend six months' money here at 3 per cent. This statement is incorrect and I am authorized by the trust companies in question to deny it absolutely. These companies have made no offers to lend money except for six months at 4 per cent."

A Cleveland dispatch says: "The Cleveland banks have refused the request for a loan by the Lake Erie & Pittsburgh and the Cleveland, Youngstown & Eastern. This prevents for the time being the completion of the new line from Cleveland to Pittsburgh and will send the promoters of the property into eastern markets to get their capital."

Wall street had a rumor of an alliance of some sort between Big Four and Chesapeake & Ohio. Both stocks advanced to the highest prices on this movement.

The forecasts of the currency movement for the past week indicate another shift in the interior movement in favor of New York, promising a moderate addition to the cash item in the day's bank statement in spite of the absorption on sub-treasury operations. The figures of the production of gold on the Rand for February called renewed attention to the steady expansion in the rate of gold production, to which the other great gold fields are also contributing their share. This is a subject that receives attention from time to time as a possible factor in the great rise in prices of securities. The present heavy accumulation of money reserves in the world's great centers give point to the discussion. But up to the present time there has been no evidence of the discrimination against fixed interest-bearing securities on the part of capital which is a natural accompaniment of a fall in the value of the money medium.

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Railways	52	Penna. Steel pfd.	99⅝
Cambria Steel	27⅝	Phila. Co.	44⅝
Cambria Iron	49	Do preferred	47½
Cons. Trac. N. J.	82½	Phila. Traction	99½
Cons. Lake Sup'r.	1⅝	Phila. Elec. Co.	10⅝
Do preferred	13⅝	Tidewater Steel	2
Elec. Stor. com.	88½	Do preferred	4
Elec. Co. Amer.	11⅝	Union Traction	58⅛
Lehigh Valley	67⅜	United Gas Impt.	111¼
Marsden	4 15-16	Welsbach Co.	21
Penna. R. R.	72		

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Butter firm, unchanged; receipts, 4,378 pkgs. Cheese strong, unchanged; receipts, 717 pkgs. Eggs firm, unchanged; receipts, 5,900 pkgs.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sale.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close bid.
29000	A. T. & S. F.	92⅞	93	92½	92⅝
2100	Do preferred	104⅛	104¼	103⅞	103⅞
11900	Am. Sugar Ref.	144	144½	143¼	144
	Do preferred	139¾	139¾	139¾	139¾
3900	Am. Locomotive	45⅛	46	45⅜	45⅝
400	Do preferred	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛	113
2400	Am. Car Foundry	35⅝	35⅞	35½	35½
900	Do preferred	95	95	94⅞	94⅝
107900	Amal. Copper	80⅝	81⅝	80⅜	81⅛
5000	Anaconda Copper	120	122¾	120	122⅝
4400	A. Smelt. & Ref.	99½	99⅝	98¼	98⅝
7100	Do preferred	121½	122½	122¼	122
100	American Ice	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
400	Do preferred	33⅜	33⅜	32⅝	33
19400	Baltimore & Ohio	110⅝	111	110½	111
200	Do preferred	97½	97½	97½	97¼
12200	Brooklyn R. T.	69⅝	69⅞	68⅞	69⅝
	Canada Southern	72	72	71	72
52800	Canadian Pacific	147⅞	148⅝	147½	148⅜
4500	Chi. Gt. West.	23¼	23⅜	23	23⅜
3400	Consolidated Gas	212⅞	213½	212⅝	212¾
6900	C. C. C. & St. L.	99⅞	102⅞	99	102½
119400	Ches. & Ohio	51¼	58	50⅞	57
400	Chicago & Alton	40	40	39¾	39¾
200	Do preferred	81	81	81	80
2000	Chicago & N'w.	242	243½	242	243
21000	Col. Fuel & Iron	51½	53	51⅛	52⅝
300	Corn Product	19⅛	19⅛	19	18⅞
200	Do preferred	74½	74½	74½	74½
200	Colorado South'n	25⅝	25⅝	25½	25⅝
200	Do 1st pfd	62	62	62	62
200	Do 2d pfd	37	37¼	37	36⅞
300	D., L. & W.	365	369½	365	368
1000	Del. & Hudson	191¼	191⅞	191	191
20400	Erie	47⅝	48⅝	47⅜	48½
5800	Do 1st pfd	82⅝	83⅛	82	82⅞
4000	Do 2d pfd	70⅝	71⅞	69⅞	71½
600	General Electric	187¼	188	187⅛	188
1500	Hocking Valley	97½	98½	96⅞	98
1300	Do preferred	95½	96	95½	95⅝
2400	Illinois Central	159½	160⅜	159⅜	159⅞
100	Iowa Central	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28¼
5200	Internat. Paper	23⅝	24	22⅞	23⅞
5200	Do preferred	81	81½	80⅞	81⅛
	L. E. & W.	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞	39½
8200	Louis. & Nash.	142½	142⅞	142	142⅞
3000	Manhattan	172	172⅝	171½	171
10700	Missouri Pacific	109	109⅝	109	109⅝
400	M., K. & T.	31½	32	31½	31⅞
200	Do preferred	65⅝	65⅞	65⅝	65⅝
13100	Metropolitan	123	124	122⅞	123⅞
28200	Do securities	85¾	86⅛	85	85
20000	Mexican Central	25¼	25⅝	25	25
11900	National Lead	38¼	39	38	37⅞
	Do preferred	107½	109	107½	107
	National Biscuit	58⅝	59⅝	58⅝	58½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	116⅛
	N. Y. Air Brake	152⅞	152⅞	152⅞	152⅞
65900	N. Y. Central	159	160⅞	158⅝	159⅞
	N. J. Central	200	200	200	200
31100	N. Y., O. & W.	55⅝	56⅛	55⅛	56⅛
24100	Nor. & Western	84½	85¾	84⅛	85¼
700	No. Amer. Co.	102	102	102⅛	102
8700	Peoples Gas	110⅞	111⅞	110⅞	111⅜
500	Pacific Mail	46⅛	46⅛	46	46¼
1000	Pr. Steel Car	37⅜	37⅞	37⅜	37½
1300	Do preferred	89	89	88⅝	88⅞
234300	Pennsylvania	143⅝	145⅞	143⅛	145⅛
300	P., C. C. & St. L.	81½	83	81½	83¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	105
	Railway Springs	35⅛	36	35⅛	35⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
59000	Reading	99	99⅜	98⅛	98⅜
	Do 1st pref	92	92	92	91
400	Do 2d pref	....	....	....	91
22300	Rock Island	36¼	36⅝	35¾	35⅝
2000	Do preferred	81½	81½	80½	80⅞
4000	Republic Iron	19⅞	20¼	19⅞	20
3300	Do preferred	76⅛	77½	76⅛	77⅛
21300	So. Pacific	70⅝	70⅞	70⅛	70⅞
10900	So. Railway	35⅛	35⅝	35⅛	35⅜
700	Do preferred	99	99	98⅝	99
68200	St. Paul	179⅛	181⅛	179	180⅝
	Do preferred	190	191	190	191
	St. L. & S. W.	....	....	....	26
600	Do preferred	62	63	62⅛	62⅝
17700	Tenn. C. & I.	90⅝	93⅛	90	92
5100	Tex. & Pacific	39⅝	39⅝	39	39⅛
800	T. St. L. & W.	39⅛	39⅛	38⅞	38
4800	Do preferred	57	57⅞	57	57⅛
39700	U. S. Steel	36⅛	36⅞	36⅛	36⅝
18800	Do preferred	96⅛	96⅛	95⅝	96⅛
	Do 2d 5s bnds	94⅛	95	94⅛	95
109400	Union Pacific	131⅞	133⅝	131⅞	134⅛
2100	Do preferred	99⅜	100	99⅜	99
1300	U. S. Rubber	42⅛	43⅛	42⅛	42⅝
1200	Do preferred	113⅞	113⅞	112⅞	113
4400	U. S. Leather	12⅞	13⅛	12⅞	12⅞
3700	Do preferred	105⅜	106⅛	105⅜	105⅝
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	31⅛	31⅛	30⅞	30⅞
	Do preferred	89	89	88⅞	88⅛
2800	U. S. Realty	86⅝	86⅞	86⅝	86⅞
300	Wabash	22⅞	23	22⅞	22⅞
1700	Do preferred	46⅛	47⅛	46⅛	46⅛
1500	W. U. Telegraph	94	94⅛	93⅞	93⅞
	W. & L. E.	....	....	....	19
	Do 1st pref	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝	45⅛
	Do 2d pref	....	....	....	27
800	Wis. Central	24⅛	24⅛	23⅞	24
500	Do preferred	52⅛	52⅝	52⅛	52⅞
100	West. El. 2d pref	182⅞	182⅞	182⅞	182
	Fed. Mining Co.	106	115	106	110½
	Do preferred	96	98	94⅛	95
600	Va. Chem. Co.	36½	37⅛	36	36⅝
200	Do preferred	108	108	108	107
	M. St. P. & S. St. M.	118⅝	119	118	117⅝
	Do preferred	162	162½	162	162½

INACTIVE LIST.

Sale.		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
2000	A. Steel F'dries.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
800	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
400	Allis Chalmers	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Am. Grass & T.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	Am. Hide & L.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	American Malt	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1000	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	American Linseed	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3200	American Wool.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	A. Tobac. (new)	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
800	Chi. Un. Trac.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Chi. Ter. Trac.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	D. & R. G.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Detroit United	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Detroit So. Ry.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	D. R. R. & A.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1300	Federal Smelting	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4000	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	Gen. Chem. pfd.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Internat. Pump	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	Kan. City & So.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1900	K. C. Ft. S. & M. pfd.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	Knickerbocker Ice	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	Long Island Ry.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1100	M. St. P. & S. S. M.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2000	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	M. K. & T. com.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	N. Y. Airbrake	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	Pacific Coast Co.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Rubber Goods	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Stand. Rope & T.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3000	Sloss	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
600	Twin City	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
600	Union Bag & P.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Va. Car. Chem.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do preferred	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1300	Va. I. C. & C.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	....	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104¾	Japan 6s, ctfs.	[illegible]
Do coupon	104¾	L. & N. unif. 4s.	[illegible]
U. S. 3s, reg.	104⅛	Man. con. gold 4s.	[illegible]
Do coupon	104⅝	Mexican Cen. 4s.	[illegible]
U. S. new 4s, reg.	132¼	Do 1st inc.	[illegible]
Do coupon	132¼	Minn. & St. L. 4s.	[illegible]
U. S. old 4s, reg.	104⅛	M. K. & T. 4s.	[illegible]
Do coupon	105¼	Do 2nds	[illegible]
Am. Tob. 4s, ctfs.	[illegible]	Nat. Mex. 4s.	[illegible]
Do 6s, ctfs.	117⅛	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	[illegible]
Atchison gen. 4s.	104⅛	N. J. C. gen. 5s.	[illegible]
Do adjt. 4s.	97	North. Pacific 4s.	[illegible]
Atl. Coast L. 4s.	101¾	Do 3s	[illegible]
Balt. & Ohio 4s.	102	*N. & W. con. 4s.	[illegible]
Do 3½s	95½	Ore. S. L. rfdg. 4s.	[illegible]
Cen. Georgia 5s.	113	Penna. conv. 3½s	[illegible]
Do 1st inc.	95	Reading gen. 4s.	[illegible]
Do 2nd inc.	82	St. L. & I. M. Con. 5s.	[illegible]
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	107½	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s.	[illegible]
C. & Alton 3½s	82⅛	St. L. S'w'n con. 4s.	[illegible]
C. B. & Q. n. 4s.	[illegible]	Seab'd A'r L. 4s.	[illegible]
C. R. I. & P. 4s.	82½	South. Pacific 4s.	[illegible]
Do col. 5s.	[illegible]	Southern Ry. 5s.	[illegible]
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s.	102½	*Tex. & Pac. 1sts	[illegible]
Chicago Term. 4s.	97	T. St. L. & W. 4s.	[illegible]
Col. Midland 4s.	77	Union Pacific 4s.	[illegible]
Col. South. 4s.	92½	Do conv. 4s.	[illegible]
Cuba 5s, ctfs.	105	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	[illegible]
D. & R. G. 4s.	101½	*Wabash 1sts	[illegible]
Distillers' Sec. 5s.	79⅝	Do deb. B	[illegible]
Erie prior lien 4s.	101	W. Maryland 4s.	[illegible]
Do gen. 4s.	93	W. & L. E. 4s.	[illegible]
Ft. W. & D. C. 1st	108½	Wisconsin Cen. 4s.	[illegible]
Hock. V. 4½s	111⅛		

*Bid. †Offered.
Total sales (par value), $4,470,000.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	[illegible]	American Sugar	[illegible]
Do preferred	[illegible]	Do preferred	[illegible]
Boston & Albany	[illegible]	Am. Tel. & Tel.	[illegible]
Boston Elevated	[illegible]	American Woolen	[illegible]
Fitchburg pfd.	[illegible]	Do preferred	[illegible]
Mexican Central	[illegible]	Dom. Iron & Stl.	[illegible]
N. Y. N. H. & H.	[illegible]	Mass. Gas	[illegible]
*Pere Marquette	[illegible]	United Fruit	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]	United Shoe Mach.	[illegible]
Am. Argr. Chem.	21	Do preferred	[illegible]
Do preferred	[illegible]	U. S. Steel	[illegible]
Am. Pneu. Tube	[illegible]	Do preferred	[illegible]

*Asked.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	[illegible]	Do 2s	[illegible]
Do preferred	[illegible]	North. Securities	[illegible]
Bay State Gas	[illegible]	Otis Elevator	[illegible]
Electric Vehicle	[illegible]	Do preferred	[illegible]
Do preferred	[illegible]	Seab'd Air Line	[illegible]
Greene Con. Cop.	[illegible]	Do preferred	[illegible]
Interborough	[illegible]	Standard Oil	[illegible]
Int. Mer. Mar.	[illegible]	Tennessee Copper	[illegible]
Do preferred	[illegible]	Tonopah	[illegible]
International Salt	[illegible]		

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	[illegible]	United States	[illegible]
American	[illegible]	Wells-Fargo	[illegible]

Free Money and Situation In The Sunday Gazette tomorrow.

SPECULATION MARKED BY MORE ACTIVITY

Gains Made in Most of Leading Issues Despite Distributive Selling.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 11.—The Herald this (Saturday) morning says:

Speculative activity in the stock market, which received a decided impetus on Thursday as a result of the action of the Bank of England in lowering its discount rate, continued yesterday with a broadening tendency. A greater number of issues were traded in and the activity was better distributed. Gains were made in practically all the leading issues despite the distributive selling, which was by no means so persistent as on the previous day. In fact, it became apparent that holders of lines of stock were content to move along with the tide and were disinclined to sell with the temper of the market in its present condition. The more cautious, however, were willing to take profits on a scale up. The bear traders of yesterday, impressed with the operations of the pools, changed their course and followed in the procession.

At the opening there was a continuation of the aggressive bull tactics in which the market had closed the night before. New York Central and Union Pacific were higher, as were the mining stocks and the hard and soft coalers. Canadian Pacific maintained its gains and advanced further. In the second hour, realizing sales were plainly apparent in Reading and the Harriman stocks. Steel shares were dull and did not move. Less active shares became prominent, and all were lifted toward higher prices. The movement of prices was highly irregular until the closing hour when the Pennsylvania group became the center of attention. The soft coal stocks, under the leadership of Chesapeake & Ohio, hardened, and Pennsylvania, which lagged after the early activity, once more became active and advanced. The close was generally firm.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points and during the early trading increased the loss to a matter of 10@15 points under European selling, liquidation by recent buyers and bear pressure, promoted by full Brazilian receipts and lower European markets. Later, however, the cable giving Saopulo receipst for the day made a more encouraging showing and after noon the market recovered most of its early loss on covering and support from local bulls. The close was steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. Sales were reported of 72,500 bags, including March at 6.00@6.10c; May, 6.20@6.30c; June, 6.40c; July, 6.40@6.50c; September, 6.55@6.70c; December, 6.75@6.90c; January, 6.95c; February, 6.95@7.00c. Sugar, raw easy; fair refining, 4 9-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 5 11-16c; molasses sugar, 4 5-16c; refined quiet.

Visible Supply of Grain.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture will show the amount of wheat remaining in farmers' hands on March 1 to have been about 111,000,000 bushels, or 20.1 per cent of last year's crop, as compared with 20.8 per cent of the crop of 1903 on hand on March 1, 1904, and 24.5 per cent of the crop of 1902 on hand at the corresponding date in 1903.

The corn in farmers' hands is estimated at about 954,000,000 bushels, or 38.7 per cent of last year's crop, against 37.4 per cent of the crop of 1903 on hand on March 1, 1904, and 41.6 per cent of the crop of 1902 on hand at the corresponding date in 1903.

Of oats there are reported to be about 347,000,000, or 38.8 per cent of last year's crop till in farmers' hands, as cmpared with 34.9 per cent of the crop of 1903 on hand on March 1, 1904, and 36.9 per cent of the crop of 1902 on hand at the corresponding date in 1903.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $142,106,874; gold, $57,985,144; silver, $25,401,321; United States notes, $14,766,260; treasury notes of 1890, $46,816; national bank notes, $16,550,895; total receipts this day, $1,414,965; total receipts this month, $16,356,056; total receipst this year, $382,024,268; total expenditures this day, $1,240,000; total expenditures this month, $13,690,000; total expenditures htis year, $404,768,979; Deposits in national banks, $106,245,323.

Rent Lists
Tomorrow in The Sunday Gazette.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains steady at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Some stock brokers' loans are still made at 4½ per cent. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,443,069 95	$1,715,052 32
Last week	8,273,123 77	2,111,831 76
Last year	5,331,165 86	1,124,348 66

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, March 10.—Money in the market today was in moderate supply and good demand owing to the Irish land loan call for nearly $6,250,000. The full effect of the lowering of the Bank of England rate of discount will not be felt for a while, revenue collections keeping the supplies reduced, but the idea is that it will be lowered to 2 per cent soon. Discounts were quiet and easy. Prices on the stock exchange were strong and trading was stimulated by the reduction of the bank rate, and the fall of Mukden leading to renewed peace talk. Consols were buoyant on the monetary outlook. Americans opened cheerful in sympathy with Wall street, and hardened to over parity on the continent and Wall street buying, especially Canadian Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio and New York, Ontario & Western. Union Pacific weakened on realization. At the close prices mostly were firm, but some were below the best quotations of the day. Grand Trunk benefitted by the traffic increase. Foreigners were irregular. Japanese strengthened on the latest war news and Russians were easy. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 104⅝. Paris supported other specialties. Copper shares were firm. Consols for money, 91½; consols for account, 91 11-16; bar silver firm, 27 5-16d per ounce. Money, 2¼@3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2¼@2⅜ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2¼@2⅜ per cent.

PARIS, March 10.—The trading on the bourse today opened with prices firm, but at the closing a dull tone prevailed. It was rumored on the bourse that the new Russian loan will bear 5 per cent interest, and will be redeemable in seven years. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 88.80 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 504.100. Three per cent rentes 100 francs 50 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 19½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, March 10.—The trading on the boerse today was quiet. Exchanges on London 20 marks 40½ pfgs. for checks.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Close—Money on call steady, 2¼@3 per cent; closing bid, 2¾ per cent; offered at 3 per cent; time loans steady; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3@3¼ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent; mercantile paper, 3¾@4½ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 86.75@4 86.80 for demand and at $4 84.75@4 84.80 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 85½ and $4 87½; commercial bills, $4 84⅝; bar silver, 59⅛c; Mexican dollars, 45⅝c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

NOTICES.

CERTIFICATE RE-EXTENDING CHARTER—Treasury department, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington D. C., March 3, 1905. Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Birmingham," located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the act of congress "to enable National Banking Association to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 13, 1882, as amended by the act approved April 12, 1902. Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Birmingham," located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on March 3, 1925.

(Seal.) In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 3d day of March, 1905.

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HARBOR LINES, Monongahela river, Elizabeth, Pa., to lock No. 4, Pennsylvania. A public hearing will be held at U. S. engineer office, postoffice building, Pittsburgh, Pa., at 10 a. m., Monday, March 27, 1905, for consideration of harbor lines proposed to be established between above points. Wm. L. Sibert, major, engineers.

NOTICE is hereby given that the commutation list for the month of April of the Western State penitentiary as provided for by the act of assembly approved May 11, 1901, will be considered by the board of pardons at their meeting, to be held in Harrisburg, March 15, 1905.

WM. McC. JOHNSTON, Warden.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the subtreasury paid out yesterday $6,170. Of this amount $5,452 had been deposited at San Francisco and $218 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday, $210,433, against $303,798 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,712,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,775,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $63,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $1,628,000, against $3,733,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $1,931,000 paid by banks to government a year ago.

MEETINGS.

The Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Co.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 11, 1905.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company will be held at the principal office of the company, in the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, April 11, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of receiving the annual report for 1904, electing three directors to succeed a like number whose term of service expires on that date, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The transfer books will be closed Saturday, March 25, and reopened on Wednesday, April 12, 1905.

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TWO GOOD DEALS IN SIX FIGURES

Wabash Purchases Coleman Property at 28-32 Second Avenue for $51,500.

FEBRUARY'S BUILDING RECORD

Two deals in six figures were made yesterday, one of them being the sale of a choice parcel of downtown realty and the other a big apartment house in Allegheny. Another downtown sale of $28,000 was made, and the details will probably be given out today.

One deal which has been pending for some time was closed, the purchase by the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Railroad Company of the C. Coleman property at 28-32 Second avenue. A few days ago the property was sold by the Aronson-Friedman Company to Max Friedman for $50,000, and he is reported to have sold it to the Wabash for $51,500. The lot is 60x80 feet at the northeast corner of Second avenue and Redoubt alley, and is improved with brick buildings of little value. The property is directly opposite the McClure Tin Plate Company property and diagonally across the corner from the Riter-Conley holdings. The Wabash already owns most of the property on this side of the avenue up to Ferry street, and deals are now pending for other holdings in the immediate vicinity. At the price reported the Coleman lot cost the Wabash $858 a front foot, or $10 73 a square foot.

It develops by the deed that the actual figure K. Klebansky paid for the 17 houses he recently bought in Oakland was only $57,000. The houses are part of those built two years ago by the United Real Estate & Construction Company, and face in Kennett square and Carolina street. Most of them are seven-room brick dwellings on lots 20x90 feet. Mr. Klebansky bought the houses from Thomas Watson, who had secured them but a short time previous from the original owners.

Bad Falling Off in February.

February building showed a sharp falling off compared with the total for the corresponding month in 1904—and also for the month of January of this year. Only 184 permits were issued, calling for an estimated expenditure of $379,317. In January 169 permits were granted, totaling $605,826, or nearly double the total for February. The decrease may be ascribed to two causes. The extreme cold weather which prevailed during the first half of the month not only held up all outside work on buildings, but also kept many prospective builders from starting operations. The other cause was the lockout against the building trades which, although not as serious as many similar measures, has tied up a large amount of building and kept plans that had been approved from going ahead. January of 1905 showed a gain of 240 per cent over January, 1904, so the report of February makes a very poor showing.

Permits were taken out yesterday for the following structures: Knapp Brothers, four frame store rooms in Brushton avenue, to cost $2,500; W. H. Heselbert, brick extension to dwelling in Lenork street, $3,600. The report of the building inspector which was rendered this morning shows that during January permits were issued for 168 buildings, the total value of which was $605,823. During February there were 97 permits which represented an expenditure of $318,220.

Good Block for Forbes Street.

Architect W. A. Thomas has awarded to John Ehrlinger the contract for a three-story brick building, 50x130 feet, at 1708 Forbes street, to cost $33,000. The building is not far from Van Braam street, and will extend back to Tustin street. The owner is William Hubner, who will provide two large store rooms on the first floor, and an apartment on the upper floor. The building is the first new structure in this neighborhood.

The same architect will take bids next week on three $20,000 houses to be built in Negley avenue, between Friendship avenue and Baum street, for Thomas Evans.

Bids are being taken by Architects Dean & Stophlet on the addition to the Twenty-first ward school house at Hamilton and Lang avenues. The building will contain 12 rooms, and will cost $50,000. They are also preparing plans and will take bids in a few days on the building of the Union National bank in Fifth avenue, McKeesport. This will be a three-story brick structure with a brownstone front.

Architect George H. Schwan let the contract to J. H. Hastings of Indiana, Pa., for the one-story stone building to be erected for the Vandergrift Savings & Trust Company at Vandergrift, at a cost of $12,000.

Real Estate Man's Banquet.

One of the most enjoyable events of the year in real estate circles was the dinner given last evening at the Hotel Henry by A. Z. Byers in honor of the birthday of his partner, O. R. Minnemeyer. Covers were laid for 25 guests, and the evening was spent very pleasantly, recalling the trials of the average real estate man and the joys that occasionally come his way. Among the guests were Dr. Alex A. E. McCandless, Harry Lindsay, John B. Taylor, James Wachob, S. M. Meals, S. R. Smith, Robert Fulton, R. P. Forsberg, Harry Wilson, John McMasters, H. W. Burns, Edward Gwinner, Galen Croff, Samuel S. Robertson, F. A. and H. W. Minnemeyer, Jr., W. D. Grimes, J. H. Irons, William Williamson, James Donaldson, C. E. Minnemeyer, the last five being from the force of A. Z. Byers & Co. Last year Mr. Minnemeyer tendered Mr. Byers a similar dinner at the Hotel Lincoln.

Hermitage street: The Freehold Real Estate Company sold for James McKirdy, trustee, to Mrs. Sarah Rupie, 7210 Hermitage street, Twenty-first ward, an eight-room brick house on 25x93 feet, for $4,300.

Ophelia street: B. R. Faulkner & Co., Incorporated, sold for George N. Powell to Alfred and George Forney, 352 and 354 Ophelia street, Fourteenth ward, two brick houses on 32x75 feet, for $5,000 each.

Erin street: The Aronson-Friedman Company sold for Thomas Stack, 133 Erin street, a seven-room brick house on 20x97 feet, for $3,600.

Deals Made by One Company.

Swissvale: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for John H. Galey to Clarence Renshaw, 1949 Delaware avenue, Swissvale, a 12-room brick and cement house, for $7,500; for T. M. Armstrong to A. W. Gruber, two double frame houses of eight rooms each on 48x100 feet at 157-163 Herron avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $4,500, and a double frame house on 24x100 feet at 151 Herron avenue for $2,250; for E. Lewis to Ira C. Ewing, two lots at Merchant and Seventh streets, Ambridge, for $5,000.

The same company leased for John W. and William F. Lloyd to H. Mayer & Co., the corner store room in the new building being erected at Diamond street and Diamond square, for three years. The rental is $2,000 for the first, $2,500 for the second, and $3,000 for the third year. The room will be fitted up with green oak fixtures for a retail cigar store. The same brokers leased to the Federal Shoe Company the room at 213 Diamond street, in the same block for three years, the first year at $1,500, the second $1,800 and the third year $2,000. The room is 20x80 feet.

Frankstown avenue: Charles Suchling sold to William J. Costello 25x100 feet on the north side of Frankstown avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, for $3,500.

Lawrenceville: Daniel Shields sold to Hugh M. Fall an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the east side of Fifty-fourth street, near Duncan street, Eighteenth ward, for $2,300.

Madison street: Robert C. Crothers sold to Charles H. Ahlers an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the north side of Madison avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $3,500.

Mt. Vernon street: Margaret Marx sold to James Nims an improved lot, 25x83 feet, on the north side of Mt. Vernon street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,850.

Copeland street: Daniel G. McCabe sold to John F. McCambridge 75x100 feet on the north side of Copeland street, Nineteenth ward, for $8,800.

Bedford avenue: David Calker sold to Martin Burstin an improved lot, 25x65 feet, on the north side of Bedford avenue, near Cassatt street, Eleventh ward, for $4,600.

Grandview avenue: Marshall Crothers sold for John Hanley to Edward L. Sullivan an improved lot, 50x110 feet, in Grandview avenue, Thirty-second ward, for $5,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Cohen Morris to J L Aronson, Feb 23, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Overhill st	$ 2,500
Fulton Mary E to F W Teltlhorster, March 2, Reserve twp, 4½ acres	3,250
Frank Michael to Wm M Frank, Jan 3, 37th wd, Pgh, 40x132, Division st	3,700
Murphy J A to Israel Cohen, March 1, 11th wd, Pgh, 95x100, Dinwiddie st	6,500
Lally David to D Cutuly, Feb 15, 21st wd, Pgh, 23x86, Shetland ave	2,200
Boggs R H to J A MacLachlan, March 1, 2d wd, Ally, 40x96, North ave	21,000
Ehland J to Thos Bukowski, Feb 27, 27th wd, Pgh, 24x96, Fritz st	1,550
Reese R T to Sarah Reese, Feb 14, Braddock, 18x116, Holland ave	3,500
Renvers J G to K Klosewski, Feb 14, 27th wd, Pgh, 20x45, Pius st	2,200
Wolt Anton to T N Eaton, Dec 17, 13th wd, Pgh, 30x100, Anderson st	6,500
Sherrer J W to W G Glitewroth, March 3, 19th wd, Pgh, 24x90, Morrow st	3,100
Safe Dep Tr Co to S M Bauersmith, Feb 17, 19th wd, Pgh, 50x153, Hampton st	4,250
Brocious O C to J W Boch, March 6, E McKeesport, 30x100, Fifth ave	2,500
Porterfield J to Wm J Walker, March 3, 1st wd, Pgh, 35x100, First ave	36,000
Dickie S A to W E Hicks, Jan 24, 20th wd, Pgh, 50x213, Walnut st	23,000
Blachly O L to Wm M Craig, April 23, 37th Wd, Pgh, 40x140, Frankstown ave	3,000
Nowell Wm to Mary Thomas March 6, 7th wd, McKeesport, 32x100, Jenny Lind st	6,000
Niman Wm E to Geo N Jones, March 9, 3d wd, McKeesport, 44x90, Market st	4,000
Cseyse John to J C Harris, March 6, Millvale, 41x77, Mary st	1,250
Elliott Chas T to Jno Adam, Nov 28, Duquesne, 30x120, First st	1,000
Fuller Samuel H to Stella A Thomas, Feb 24, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Woodward ave	3,000
McKeown C V to Jno Yucka, Jan 28, Homestead, 20x110, Fourth ave	800
Thouen C L to E McCune, April 30, 10th wd, Ally, 25x100, Leland ave	1,362
Wilson Jno A to Carrie R Shouse, Feb 22, Bellevue, 40x64, Rodgers ave	4,300
Christian L A to Emily Brown, Feb 15, 1st wd, Ally, 13x58, Cliff st	2,700
Robinson J F to W S Arbuthnot, June 10, Shaler twp, 236x126, Township rd	8,840
Kraus Louis to M J Gamble, Dec 17, 10th wd, Ally, 25x120, Wilson ave	4,100
Flood E H to Chas Irwin, Nov 11, Avalon, 125x125, Forest ave	5,000
Knoxville L Impt Co to W G Kaufman, Feb 6, Knoxville, 50x100, Jucunda st	4,500
Kee Chas R to R Schlesinger, Feb 7, 11th wd, Pgh, 18x88, Webster ave	4,200
Drape Jas W to Chas R Kee, Dec 22, 11th wd, Pgh, 18x88, Webster ave	4,300
Phillips E W to J L Laugenheim, Feb 27, 20th wd, Pgh, 55x121, Negley ave	23,000
Pgh Tr Co to T A Coleman, Feb 20, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Idlewild st	1,150
Same to same, Feb 20, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Idlewild st	1,150
Horner W S to Louisa Schnette, March 2, 22d wd, Pgh, 50x150, Dalzell ave	2,900
Epstein D to W H Hackett, Feb 17, 11th wd, Pgh, 40x74, Colwell st	4,100
Truby B A to J W Sherrer, Feb 24, 19th wd, Pgh, 24x90, Morrow st	3,500
McKinney J M to John Boyd, Feb 27, Wilkinsburg, 29x112, Swissvale ave	3,600
Kress A S to Geo R Entress, Feb 25, 13th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Adelaide st	2,600
Bailey S G to W H Siegfried, March 8, Scott twp, 40x125, Washington ave	1,050
Langfitt W J to J Meyer, Jan 11, 11th wd, Ally, 20x123, Courtland st	1,250
E Pgh Impt Co to Christ Luth Ch, Wilmerding, July 1, Wilmerding, 38x110, Saldwell st	2,380
Voelker Geo A to Maggie Simpson, Feb 17, 11th wd, Ally, 25x93, Bartlett st	2,375
Cook Chas H to J B Rudolf, March 4, Avalon, 33x140, Forest ave	5,000

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Friday, March 9.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady. Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 pounds, $5 40@5 65; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 pounds, $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, $4 80@5 15; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 pounds, $4 50@4 85; common, 700 to 900 pounds, $3 00@4 00; heifers, $3 00@4 25; fat cows, $2 00@4 00; bulls, $2 50@3 85; good fresh cows, $35 00@45 00; common to fair, $20 00@30 00; veal calves, $7 00@7 50; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light and market steady. Prime wethers, 95 to 100 pounds, $6 10@6 25; good mixed, 85 to 90 pounds, $5 70@6 00; fair mixed, 75 to 80 pounds, $5 00@5 60; culls and common, $3 00@4 00; lambs, $5 00@8 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 double-decks. Market steady. Prime heavy hogs, $5 40; mediums, $5 40@5 45; heavy Yorkers, $5 40@5 45; light Yorkers, $5 20@5 30; pigs, $5 10@5 15; roughs, $4 00@4 75; stags, $3 00@3 75.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, March 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,200 head, including 300 head southerns; winter killing steers steady; stockers and feeders strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 50@5 55; fair to good, $5 00@5 25; western fed, $4 25@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 60; southern steers, $3 50@4 75; southern cows, $2 25@3 65; native cows, $3 00@4 25; native heifers, $3 00@4 65; bulls, $2 50@4 00; calves, $3 00@6 25. Hogs—Receipts, 4,600 head; market steady; closed weak; tops, $5 05; bulk of sales, $4 85@5 05; heavy, $5 00@5 05; packers, $4 90@5 00; pigs and lights, $4 15@4 95. Sheep—Receipts, 3,700 head; market strong; native lambs, $6 50@7 40; native wethers, $5 25@5 65; native ewes, $4 75@5 35; western fed lambs, $6 50@7 40; western fed yearlings, $6 00@6 65; western fed sheep, $4 75@5 65; stockers and feeders, $3 50@5 50.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady; good to prime steers, $5 15@6 25; poor to medium, $3 75@4 80; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 65; cows, $2 80@4 00; canners, $1 60@2 40; heifers, $3 00@5 00; bulls, $2 50@4 25; calves, $3 00@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000 head; market weaker; mixed and butchers, $4 85@5 10; good to choice heavy, $5 00@5 17½; rough heavy, $4 80@4 95; light, $4 70@5 07½; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 10. Sheep and lamb—Receipts, 7,000 head; sheep strong, lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $6 05@6 10; fair to choice mixed, $4 75@5 40; native lambs, $5 00@7 60.

Pig Iron Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—There was no life in the pig iron market early in the session, as offerings were small and slightly higher prices asked. First call, 11 o'clock:

	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	$16.50	$17.00
March	16.50	16.90
April	16.70	17.00
May	16.75	16.90
June	16.70	17.00
July		17.00

Late in the session the market was dull, with trifling changes. Second call, 2 o'clock:

	Bid.	Asked.
March	$16.25	$17.00
April	16.70	17.00
May	16.70	16.90
June	16.70	17.00
July	16.65	16.90

FLOUR SHOWS MORE WEAKNESS AT HOME

Eggs Are Firmer and Butter Weaker as the Week Draws to an End.

Constantly growing weakness in the wheat market, owing to the good reports concerning next season's crop which are now coming in from the wheat belt, caused greater weakness in flour yesterday than any day this week, a cut of 10 cents on the barrel is looked for today or Monday. Unless the wheat market strengthens up considerably within the next two days the present price cannot be maintained.

The egg market was firmer yesterday than it has been all week and may hold that way today. Monday a big drop is looked for, however, as the first boat from lower river points is then due here. It will be the Kanawha and she carries a lot of eggs. Immediately following her will come the Lorena, the Ben Hur, the Queen City and the Greenland, all of them carrying hundreds of cases of eggs which have been gathering at down-river points for the past week or more. These are expected to give the final blow to the high-priced egg market. Today, however, fresh eggs are scarce. Dealers are puzzled to meet the demand, but are not ordering any large stocks from Chicago, because the prices here will be broken below Chicago prices the first of next week.

Butter is growing much weaker as the week ends and the prospects for a 3-cent cut Monday are brighter now than they were last Monday, when the cut was made. It is more than likely that cheap butter will be among the list of articles on the family table next week.

Green goods have made no change. The newest thing in is onion sets and amateur gardeners are busy pricing and buying and planning vegetable gardens that flourish for a day. It is a little early for the onion sets and they are not finding a ready sale.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain in the local yards yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 7 cars corn, 18 cars hay, 1 car hay and straw, 3 cars straw, 3 cars feed, 2 cars oats. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car oats, 8 cars hay; Baltimore & Ohio, 2 cars straw, 4 cars oats, 5 cars hay.

The market for hay and grain continues about the same as the first part of the week. Ear corn is very firm and active. Oats, while higher in price, are lower than they can be purchased for in the west. The condition of the country roads is already beginning to make itself felt and if the present weather conditions are long maintained hay will be a very scarce article in the city, and the price will undoubtedly move up to a much higher figure.

No. 1 timothy	$13.25@13.50
No. 2	$12.25@12.75
No. 1 clov.	$12.50@12.75
No. 1 mix.	$12.25@12.50
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$8.00@8.25
do wheat	$8.00@8.25
do rye	$12.00@12.50
No. 2 white oats	36½@37c
No. 3 oats	35¾@36c
No. 4 oats	34½@34¾c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$22.00@22.50
No. 2 middlings	$21.00@21.50
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$19.50@19.75
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	$1.08@1.09
New yellow shelled	53½@54c
New high mixed	51½@52c
New yellow ear	55½@56c
No. 2 rye, western	91@91½c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	14@15c
do roosters	9@10c
do turkeys	17@18c
do geese	10@12c
do ducks	14@15c
do pigeons, doz.	$1.00@1.25
Dressed hens	16@17c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	22@23c
do spring chickens	17@18c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	19@20c
do capon, lb.	26@27c
Squab, doz.	$4.00
do No. 2	$3.75
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.75@3.00
do canvasback	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz.	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Reed birds, doz.	$1.25
Snappers, per lb.	9@10c
Suckling pigs, lb.	10@12c
Pigeons, pair	30@35c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags	11½@14½c
do 25-lb boxes	11@15c
Apples, bulk	6@6½c
do 1-lb cartons	6½@6¾c
Peaches	11@12½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb bags	6½@7¼c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	6@6½c
do Ondaria Val.	7½@7¾c
do Cal. Val.	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs.	6¾@7c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	9c
do light, under 60 lbs. and cows, all weights	8c
No. 1 green bulls	8c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs.	11c
do No. 2	9c
Cows and lig't hides	10c
Calfskin, No. 1	12c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$6.35@6.40
Fancy winter patent	$6.10@6.20
Straight win.	$5.85@5.90
Rye	$4.60@4.70
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.30@2.50
Cornmeal, bbl.	$3.00@3.25
Buckwheat	$2.80
Rolled oats, bbl.	$3.50
do kegs	$2.10
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	14@14½c
Santos	23@24c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	18@18½c
Golden Rio	17½c
Caracas	20@20½c
Standard, pkgs.	13.65c
High grade	18½@19½c
Molasses, fancy refined	35@36c
do choice	31@34c
do open ket.	37@39c
do 2-lb	95c
do 3-lb	$1.35@1.65
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple sugar, gal.	$1.06
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@25c
2-lb cans, doz.	75c
2½-lb cans, doz.	90c
5-lb cans, doz.	$1.80
10-lb cans, doz.	$3.40
Maple, gal.	75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl.	$4.30
do kegs	$2.30
Sugar, sta. gran.	6.25c
do bags	6.25c
do 2-lb carton	6.40c
do 5-lb bags	6.40c
do pow'd xxxx	6.40c
do cut loaf	6.50c
do cubes	6.50c
do conf. A	6.10c
do No. 1 yellow	5.90c
do No. 3 yellow	5.80c
Beans.	
Navy, choice H. P.	$2.00@2.15
Red kidney	$3.00@3.10
Cal. lima, lb.	6½@6¾c
Peas, dried, bu.	$1.10@1.15
do split, lb.	3½c
do marrowfat, bu.	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11c
do headlight	11½c
do water white	12c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg.	12c
do Elaine	15½c
Miners' oil, special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb.	6@6½c
do fancy Japan	3¾@4½c
do choice Carolina	4½@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl.	$1.10
do No. 2 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	85c
do pocket	$1.55@1.85
do dairy	$1.45
Lentils, fancy "G-O," lb.	5@8c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$5.00
do 18-gal keg	$2.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu, store	50@55c
Jersey sweets, kiln dried, bbl.	$4.50@5.00
do hamp'r.	$1.65@1.75
do crates	$1.50@1.60
Onions, yellow Danvers, bbl.	$2.85@3.00
do bu.	$1.10@1.15
do Havana, crates	$2.00@2.50
Carrots, bbl.	$1.50@1.75
do hamp'r.	90c@$1.00
Parsnips, bbl.	$1.50@1.75
Savoy cabbage, bbl.	$1.50@1.60
do German seed, ton	$22.00@23.00
do bbl.	$1.50@1.65
Cal. celery, doz.	85@90c
crate	$4.75@5.00
Brussels sprouts, quart	12½@15c
Spinach, bu hamp'rs	85c@$1.00
Honey, new	14@15c
Extra fancy	16c
do Miller's, 12 sec.	18½c
Beets, bbl.	$1.75@2.00
Popcorn, lb.	4@5c
Eggplant, Florida, crates	$3.00@3.50
Squash, marrowfats, bbl.	$1.75@2.00
do Hubbard, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Rutabagas	$1.40@1.50
Mushrooms, per lb.	50@60c
Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$2.75@3.25
Garlic, lb.	7@8c
Cranberries, per crate	$2.50@2.75
Horseradish, lb.	8@10c
bbl.	$5.00@6.00
Turnips, bu.	75c@$1.00
do bbl.	$2.25@2.50
Watercress, doz.	20@25c
Lettuce, Baskets	30@35c
do boxes	40@60c
Onion sets, bu., yellow South'n	$2.50@3.00
Do silver skin	$3.00@3.50

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Mich., carlots	35@38c
do bu.	40@42c
do Ohio, carlots	45@48c
do bu.	50@52c
Cabbage, G. seed, ton	$19.00@20.00
do Savoy, bbl.	$1.00@1.50
Apples, fancy, bbl.	$2.50@3.50
do choice, bbl.	$1.75@2.25
Sweets, K. D., Jersey, bbl.	$4.25@4.50
do crate	$1.35@1.40
Rutabagas, bu.	30@35c
Carrots, ton	$15.00@16.00
Parsnips, ton	$18.00@20.00
Turnips, bbl.	$2.00@2.25
Beets, bbl.	$1.50@1.75
Celery, Cal., Golden Heart	$4.50@4.75
Onions, bbl.	$2.75@2.85
do bu.	$1.05@1.10

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	33@33½c
Tubs	32½@33c
Ohio cream	30@30½c
Dairy	20@21c
Cheese, N. Y., full crm, new	14@14½c
do Ohio crm.	14@14½c
do ¾ cream, new	12½@13c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	15@15½c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limberger, new	13½@14c
do 5-lb brk.	14½@15c
Neufchatel, per box	90c@$1.00
Shefford, box	90c
Eggs, selected candled	23@24c
Fresh, at mark	22@23c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$7.85@7.95
do mammoth	$7.95@8.05
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.25@8.50
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.25
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
Southern	$1.95@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb.	16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu.	$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu.	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.45@1.50

NUTS.

Filberts	11@12c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c
do dom.	90c@$1.00
S. S. almonds	16½c
Tarr. almonds	15c
Mixed	10@11c
Brazil	9@11c
Italian chestn'ts	9@10c
do domestic, choice, lb.	5@6c
do fancy, lb.	8@9c
do dried Italian, lb.	7c
Shellbarks, bu.	$1.50@1.75
do new	$1.75@2.00
Pecans	10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted	$1.60
do choice	$1.30

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do pie gal.	$2.50@2.65
do California, L. C.	$2.00@2.25
do California, Y. P.	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand.	90c@$1.00
Cherries, Cal., white	$1.65@2.75
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb.	70c
do 3-lb	85c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	85@90c
do early June	90c@$1.00
do soaked	55@60c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y. gal. cans	$2.15@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	85@90c
Gooseberries	[illegible]
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.25
do standard	75@80c
do gal.	$2.25@2.35
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.	75@85c
Salmon, doz.	[illegible]
do red, 1-lb flats	$1.40@1.50
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb tails	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.15@3.20
do mustards, ¾s	$2.60
do French	$5.50@18.50

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$2.75@3.00
Oranges, Florida, Ind. River	$2.25@2.75
Navel	$2.75@3.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.50@4.00
do doz.	65@75c
Figs, cartons	75@90c
do layers	8@12c
do washed, stuffed, doz.	$2.25
Bananas 1st	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$4.00@5.00
Tangerines, Fla. box	$4.50
do ½ box	$2.25@2.50
Malaga grapes	$5.00@6.00
Grape fruit	$4.00@4.50
Apples, fancy, Kings, bbl.	$3.75@4.25
do Baldwin	$2.80@3.00
do Pallisades (Cal.) box	$2.25
do other varieties	$2.50@2.90
Choice	$1.50@2.25
Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Dates, stuffed	18c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
15 lbs and up	9¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs.	9¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.	10c
10 lbs and under	10½c
skinned	10½c
Boneless boiled	17c
California	7c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	8¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.	10½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.	9½c
do back strips	9½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs.	10½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.	10½c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	9½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	7½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	7¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs.	8c
do under 16 lbs.	8c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	8½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	8¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs.	9c
do under 16 lbs.	9c
Lard, pure, tierces	7¼c

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Shallots, doz.	60@75c
Carrots, doz.	40@50c
Fla. lettuce, ½-bbl hampers, fancy	$2.50@3.50
do choice	$1.75@2.25
Leeks, doz.	50@60c
Spinach, doz.	50@60c
Cuban tomatoes, crates	$2.50@3.00
do Fla.	$3.50@4.50
Radishes, long red, doz.	40@50c
do button, dz.	40@50c
Boston cucumbers, doz.	$1.75@2.00
Strawberries, Fla., qts.	60@75c
Green peppers, crate	$4.00@4.50
Rhubarb, choice	40@50c
do fancy	60@65c
Parsley, doz.	60@75c
New potatoes, crates	$1.75@2.00
Kohlrabis	50@60c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl.	$23.00
do half bbl.	$11.50
do quar. bbl.	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl.	$20.00
do half bbls.	$10.50
do quar. bbls.	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl.	$16.50
do half bbls.	$8.50
do quar. bbls.	$4.75
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs.	$2.40
do 20-lb	$1.12
do 10-lb	55c

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

A strike is reported in the Kawich mine at Goldfield, Nev. It is reported that assays running as high as $2,750 have been made. The company is employing three shifts of men.

John F. Peterson and Karl Lundberg have secured the contract for driving the first 500 feet of the 4,400-foot extension of the Camp Bird cross-cut tunnel, to be driven into the newly acquired property secured from the Imogene Gold Mines Company. The new tunnel, in addition to exploring near a mile of new territory that is known to abound in rich leads, will have for its objective point the Tom Boy lake, which it will tap for a supply of water so much needed for milling purposes by the Camp Bird people.

The Bunker Hill & Sullivan Mining & Concentrating Company, operating the Bunker Hill and Sullivan silver-lead mine at Wardner, Idaho, in the Coeur d'Alenes, has paid the March dividend of $150,000. That is twice the usual dividend, and makes a total of $300,000 paid this year, and $2,571,000 paid to date.

The mining profits of the Baltic Mining Company for January on an output of 1,082,000 pounds of copper are placed at $85,000, and those for the short month of February must have been even larger as during the latter month the company produced 1,156,000 pounds, the largest output in the history of the mine.

The Bingham Consolidated Mining Company has begun a raise from the long tunnel to connect with the ledge of the Dalton & Lark, which was uncovered at the 1,100 foot level.

The two new pumps ordered by the Pittsburgh & Montana Copper Company [illegible] for use at Butte, have arrived from the east.

Four feet of the pay shoot in the Red Top at Goldfield, Nev., breaks $150 per ton and there is an 18-inch streak that averages $400 per ton. The latest shipment is being sacked, although no effort will be made toward a heavy output until the crosscut from the new working shaft has been connected with the old workings.

The big silver mill at the Horn Silver Company in Beaver county, Utah, which was placed in formal commission a few days ago is, according to reports from camp, buckling down to its work in good shape.

The Ohio Copper Company is now employing more than 100 men and treating 200 tons of ore daily at the mill. Should the negotiations for the sale of this property be consummated, it will mean the erection of another large reduction plant in Bingham.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The London tin market was firm and higher today, with a good speculative demand reported. Spot closed at £134 12s 6d and futures at £132 7s 6d. Locally the market was higher in sympathy, closing at $29 [illegible]. The London copper market was higher at £68 12s 6d for spot and £69 for futures. Locally prices were unchanged, but the tone was reported firmer. Lake is quoted at $15 37½@15 50; electrolytic at $15 25@15 37½; casting, $14 87½@15 25. Lead was unchanged at £12 5s in London and at $4 45@4 60 in the local market. Spelter was steady but unchanged at £24 in the London market, while locally prices were a shade higher on the outside at $6 10@6 20. Iron closed at [illegible] in Glasgow and 50s 3d in Middlesboro. Locally the market is unchanged and generally firm. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $17 50@18 25; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $17 00@18 00; No. 1 foundry, southern and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $17 00@18 25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. H. Nesten & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
				Bid.	Ask.
Allouez	23	23½	23	23	23½
Adventure	6	6	6	....	6
Arcadian	....	....	....	1½	1¾
Atlantic	16½	16½	16½	16	16½
Bingham	31¾	32	31¾	31¾	32
Cal. & Hecla	675	675	675	675	680
Centennial	19¾	19¾	19¾	19½	19¾
Daly-West	....	....	....	15½	16
Elm River	3	3	3	2¾	3
Franklin	11½	11½	11½	11	11¼
Granby	5¾	5¾	5¾	5½	5¾
Greene	29¼	29¾	29¼	29½	29¾
Mass	12½	12½	12½	12½	13
Mohawk	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Osceola	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Old Dominion	27¾	27¾	27¾	27	27¼
Old Colony	....	....	....	1½	1¾
Parrot	29½	29½	29½	29	29½
Phoenix	....	....	....	2½	3
Quincy	....	....	....	106	107
Range Cons.	73½	76	73½	75½	76
Rhode Island	....	....	....	....	2
Swift	....	....	....	111	111½
Trinity	11	12¼	11	12¼	12½
Tamarack	130	130	130	127	130
United Fruit	112	112½	112	....	....
Utah	41½	41½	41½	41½	41¾
U. S. Mining	29¾	29¾	29½	29½	29¾
Victoria	....	....	....	4½	5
Wolverine	118	118	117	117	118
Winona	14¾	15	14¾	14½	15
Cal. & Ariz.	....	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal. & Pgh.	....	....	....	....	45
Junction	....	....	....	105	[illegible]
L. S. & Pgh.	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Pgh. & Dul.	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Do full paid	....	....	....	....	32

BOSTON, March 10.—The strength which the copper market showed yesterday was continued today, the buying being good and in large volume. Range was in great demand and made a new high record. All the rest of the coppers responded and we advise buying them with confidence around present prices.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.20	Little Chief	.08
Alice	.75	Ontario	3.75
Breece	.25	Ophir	6.50
Brunswick Con.	.06	Phoenix	.06
Comstock Tunnel	.08	Potosi	.11
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.45	Savage	.28
Horn Silver	1.15	Sierra Nevada	.40
Iron Silver	2.00	Small Hopes	.30
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	1.15

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 7.85c; middling gulf, 8.10c; sales, 1,326 bales. The range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	*7.42	....	....	7.43
March	*7.36	7.42	7.37	7.40
April	*7.45	....	....	7.45
May	7.48	7.50	7.45	7.49
June	....	....	....	7.44
July	7.42	7.47	7.42	7.45
August	*7.47	7.48	7.46	7.47
September	7.48	7.50	7.48	7.51
October	*7.32	7.32	7.32	7.35
November	*7.35	....	....	7.38
December	*7.34	....	....	7.32

*Bid.

JULY OPTION GOES TWO CENTS LOWER

Reports of Favorable Condition of Fall-Sown Wheat Caused Decline.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 10.—Reports of favorable conditions of fall-sown wheat caused a decline of 2¼@2⅜c here today in the price of the July option. Part of the loss was subsequently regained on covering by shorts. The close, however, was weak, with July down 1⅝c. May is off ⅝c. Corn shows a loss of ⅛@¼c. Oats are unchanged and provisions 7½@12½c lower.

Extreme dullness prevailed in the wheat pit during the first half of the session. Local operators seemed disposed to await publication of the estimates made by government officials on the amount of wheat in farmers' hands. At the start the feeling was rather nervous, initial quotations on May being ⅛@¼c lower to ¼@½c higher. July was a shade higher to ¼@⅜c lower at 93⅞@94¼c. As trading progressed, however, a steadier tone developed, shorts becoming fair buyers. Selling was scattered. May advanced to $1 14½ and July to 94¼@94⅜c. Toward the middle of the day sentiment suddenly became exceedingly bearish, largely as a result of the showing of a crop report by a St. Louis trade journal. According to this report, weather conditions the past week have been seasonably favorable for the advancement of the winter wheat crop. The claim was made that in localities where it was feared a covering of ice had smothered the growing plant, no evidence of damage has yet appeared. Extreme weakness in southwestern markets emphasized the selling pressure here on the July delivery. With very little demand, the price of that option declined to 92c. May sold off to $1 13. On the break shorts covered moderately, causing a partial rally. The close, however, was weak, with May at $1 13½@1 13⅝. July closed at 92½@92⅝c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 141,900 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 1,266,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 408,100 bushels, against 546,100 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 293 cars, against 282 cars last week and 340 cars a year ago.

Light acceptances from the country gave a firm tone to the corn market early in the day. Later the market became easier along with the slump in wheat. Fears of a bearish government report also contributed to the weaker undertone. May opened a shade to ⅛@¼c higher at 48¼@48⅜c, sold off to 47⅞c and closed at 48c. Local receipts were 397 cars, with four of contract grade.

Weakness of wheat and corn caused a slightly lower trend in oats values. Smaller receipts than expected partly offset the influence of the decline in other grains. Pit traders sold moderately on a rumor that the government report would be bearish. May opened ⅛c higher at 32c, sold between 31¾c and 32@32⅛c and closed at 31⅞c. Local receipts were 189 cars.

Provisions were weak on selling of pork and ribs by pit traders. The break in wheat had some effect on this market. A report that local stocks were increasing also created some bearishness. Packers were moderate buyers. At the close May pork was off 10@12½c at $12 52½. Lard and ribs were each down 7½c at $6 95 and $6 67½ respectively.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 29 cars; corn, 469 cars; oats, 232 cars; hogs, 13,000 head.

The leading futures as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
May	1 14¼	1 14	1 13	1 13⅝	1 14
July	94¼	94⅜	92	92⅜	94¼
Sept	87½	87½	86	86¼	87½
CORN No. 2.					
May	48⅜	48⅜	47⅞	48	48¼
July	48½	48⅝	48	48¼	48¾
Sept	49	49	48⅝	48½	48⅞
OATS No. 2.					
March	......	......	......	31½	31⅜
May	32	32⅛	31¾	31⅞	31⅞
July	31¾	31⅝	31⅛	31⅛	31¾
Sept	30	30	29⅝	29⅝	29⅞
MESS PORK					
May	12 65	12 65	12 52½	12 52½	12 65
July	12 80	12 80	12 67½	12 67½	12 80
LARD					
May	7 00	7 00	6 95	6 95	7 02½
July	7 12½	7 12½	7 10	7 10	7 17½
SHORT RIBS					
May	6 82½	6 85	6 77½	6 77½	6 85
July	7 00	7 00	6 95	6 95	7 00

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour easy; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 10@1 15½; No. 3, $1 05@1 12½; No. 2 red, $1 14½@1 17; No. 2 corn, 46½c; No. 2 yellow, 47c; No. 2 oats, 31⅜@31½c; No. 2 white, 32¾c; No. 3 white, 31¼@32¾c; No. 2 rye, 78@78½c; good feeding barley, 38@40c; fair to choice malting, 44@47c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 27; No. 1 northwestern, $1 39½; mess pork, per bbl, $12 50@12 55; lard, per 100 lbs, $6 80@6 82½; short ribs sides (loose), $6 60@6 75; short clear sides (boxed), $6 75@6 87½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 23; clover, contract grade, $12 85.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	30,800	12,900
Wheat, bu	50,000	28,300
Corn, bu	399,000	315,400
Oats, bu	253,800	114,300
Rye, bu	1,000	4,800
Barley, bu	125,500	42,600

NEW YORK, March 10.—Flour—Receipts, 16,000 barrels; exports, 18,650 barrels; dull and barely steady. Rye flour dull. Buckwheat flour dull. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red nominal elevator; No. 3 red, $1 18⅛ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 22⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 10 afloat. Options opened higher on cables and bullish Argentina news, wheat eased off, rallied again on bull support and cold weather news, but in the afternoon turned very weak. This break was explained by a bearish Modern Miller report, heaviness in the southwest and prospects for bearish government figures, which left the market finally weak at ⅝@1½c net decline. May, $1 11¾@1 13⅛, closing $1 12¼; July, 96¾@98 11-16c; closed 97c; September, 89 7-16@90⅝c; closed 89c. Corn—Receipts, 96,750 bushels; exports, 46,911 bushels; spot barely steady; No. 2, 58½c elevator and 53½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 54c; No. 2 white, 54¼c. Option market was neglected all day and closed easy, with wheat at ⅛@¼c net decline; May, 53⅞@54⅛c; closed 54c; July closed 53⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 79,500 bushels; exports, 12,595 bushels; spot quiet; mixed, 26 to 32 pounds, 37½@38½c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 38½@39c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 39@41c.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 10.—Wheat—May, $1 10¾; July, $1 07⅜; September, 88c; No. 1 hard, $1 13⅛; No. 1 northern, $1 11⅛; No. 2 northern, $1 06⅛. Flour—Gold Medal, $6 00@6 10; straights, $5 80@5 90; first clears, $4 15@4 35; second clears, $2 60@2 70. Bran, in bulk, $14 25; shorts, $14 25; middlings, $16 25.

TOLEDO, March 10.—Cloverseed, cash, $7 75; March, $7 75; April, $7 47½; October, $5 90. Prime timothy, $1 40; March do, $1 40. Prime alsike, $7 70.

ST. LOUIS, March 10.—Wheat, No. 2 red cash elevator, $1 07⅞; May, $1 07⅞; July, 87¾c; No. 2 hard, $1 08@1 10. Corn, No. 2 cash, 47c; May, 46½c; July, 46⅝c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 32c; May, 31⅝c; No. 2 white, 33¾@34c.

DULUTH, March 10.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 07⅜; May, $1 08⅝; July, $1 08; September, 87⅝c.

MILWAUKEE, March 10.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 13; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 10½; May, $1 13⅝. Rye, No. 1, 85c. Barley, No. 2, 51c; sample, 38@50c. Corn, No. 3, 47@48c; May, 48c bid.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—District of Columbia 3s, 65s, 118½ bid; Philippine 4s, 108 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale
Imp. Japan, 6s, ster. loan	103	102⅝	103
Do 6s, K. L. & C. 2d series	100¼	99⅝	100¼
American Tobacco 6s	117⅞	117	117¾
Do 4s	75⅝	75	75
B. R. T. con. 4s	86½	86⅛	86½
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	100⅛	100	100
C., R. I. & P. rfdg. 4s	98½	98⅜	98⅜
Do col. 4s	82½	82¼	82¼
Do col. 5s	94⅞	94⅝	94⅝
Colorado & Southern 4s	93½	93	93½
Erie-Penna. Coal 4s	94⅜	94½	94⅜
Lackawanna Steel 5s	107¼	107	107¼
Mexican Central 1st inc.	25½	25¼	25⅜
Penna. con. 3½s	106	105½	106
P. & E. inc. 4s	83	82¼	82¼
Southern Pacific rfdg. 4s	97¼	97⅜	97⅜
Union Pacific con. 4s	136¾	135½	136⅛
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	89¾	89½	89⅛
U. S. Realty & I. deb. 5s	103½	103	103⅛
U. S. R. & R. 6s	91	90	91
U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	95	94¾	94⅞
Wabash deb. Bs	71	70¼	70½
Wabash-Pgh. Ter. 1st 4s	95⅝	95	95
Do 2d 4s	44⅝	44½	44⅝
Western Maryland 4s	92¾	92⅝	92¾

Turpentine and Rosin.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 10.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, GA., March 10.—Turpentine firm, 51½c. Rosin firm; A. B. C., $2 77½; D, $2 82½; E, $2 87½; F, $2 92½; G, $2 97½; H, $3 30; I, $3 50; K, $4 05; M, $4 50; N, $4 75; WG, $5 00; WW, $5 15.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 10.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Rosin firm, $2 50 bid. Tar firm, $1 60. Crude turpentine firm, $2 30@3 50.

ALL CONDITIONS FAVOR PROGRESS OF BUSINESS

Most Gratifying News of the Week Emanates from the Iron and Steel Industry of Country.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

"Confidence has become more general through resumption of outdoor work, opening of spring trade and expectation that the war will soon terminate. Weather conditions are favorable in most sections of the country, and there is little interruption because of labor controversies. Some inconvenience was caused by the local strike, and retail trade suffered temporarily, but in the aggregate the commercial loss was not extensive. The most gratifying news of the week emanates from the iron and steel industry, where unprecedented output of pig iron is not productive of accumulated stocks. Other leading manufacturing operations are making steady progress, although larger orders would be welcomed by cotton mills and shoeshops. In these lines the buyers are exhibiting great caution limiting purchases to immediate needs. Commodities are in good demand, Dun's Index Number advancing slightly to $101,932 on March 1, against 110,324,315 bushels last year, 116,043,-dicates that the people are consuming freely. This is also shown by the large increase in merchandise imported of late, although for the last week there was a decrease of $2,964,228 compared with last year. Exports gained $2,071,013. Traffic conditions are getting better, few complaints of delay being heard, and railway earnings for February were only 4 per cent smaller than in 1904. More liberal marketing of cotton has tended to make collections better at the south, and mercantile settlements throughout the country are steadily improving. Trade in woolen goods is quiet, but mills are busy. Hides continue firm, considering the season. Leather is quiet and irregular.

"Failures this week numbered 244 in the United States, against 250 last year, and 25 in Canada, compared with 25 a year ago."

Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Wheat, including our, exports for the week ended March 9, are 1,285,956 bushels, against 907,936 bushels last week, 1,834,632 bushels this week last year, 3,366,796 bushels in 1903, and 2,906,250 bushels in 1902. From July 1 to date the exports are 44,698,362 bushels, against 110,324,315 bushels last year, 116,043,930 bushels in 1903, and 182,643,201 bushels in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 1,756,706 bushels, against 4,171,279 bushels last week, 2,026,810 bushels a year ago, 3,257,060 bushels in 1903 and 183,414 bushels in 1902. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 48,229,938 bushels, against 41,967,091 bushels in 1904, 34,750,103 bushels in 1903, and 22,160,871 bushels in 1902.

BANK CLEARINGS.

The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 9, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year.

	Clearings.	Per Cent Inc.	Per Cent Dec.
†New York	$1,826,766,863	88.4	....
†Chicago	199,480,247	11.7	....
†Boston	137,557,951	26.5	....
†Philadelphia	123,416,487	41.1	....
†St. Louis	53,218,362	4.2	....
Pittsburgh	45,236,644	3.3	....
†San Francisco	37,059,909	31.9	....
Cincinnati	24,552,600	14.1	....
†Baltimore	23,674,086	16.4	....
†Kansas City	23,982,958	11.4	....
†New Orleans	17,861,641	....	11.0
†Minneapolis	15,883,452	20.3	....
†Cleveland	13,071,558	9.3	....
†Louisville	12,128,833	21.2	....
Detroit	10,462,856	19.9	....
Omaha	10,479,875	29.5	....
Wilkesbarre	1,564,446	11.7	....
Wheeling	493,421	....	51.7
Akron	745,000	32.8	....
Canton, O.	470,638	....	10.4
Youngstown	500,793	27.4	....
Chester, Pa.	450,506	21.2	....
Springfield, O.	431,831	....	2.4
Greensburg, Pa.	439,614	5.7	....
Mansfield, O.	320,786	36.3	....
Cedar Rapids	11,551,484	....	5.6
*Houston	11,060,000	27.5	....
Total, U. S.	$2,755,291,847	57.5	....
Outside New York	928,524,984	....	19.1
CANADA.			
Montreal	$ 26,315,812	53.6	....
Toronto	20,170,584	44.2	....
Total, Canada	$ 62,425,726	39.1	....

*Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings. †Balances paid in cash.

Going to Church Tomorrow?

If so, read the notices on the Classified Want pages today.

In the Oil Fields.

In the Littleton district, Wetzel county, W. Va., the South Penn Oil Company's No. 10 on the S. Newman farm, which came in at gusher speed a few days ago, has declined rather rapidly and is now down to 240 barrels, as shown by the last gauge. In the same district, the same company's No. 1 on the S. P. Carney farm is holding up very creditably and is still producing 65 barrels a day from the fifth sand. The same company has drilled its No. 1 on the S. P. Carney farm 12 feet into the fourth sand and has found no oil or gas. In the Smithfield district the company has drilled its No. 3 on the Matilda Gallagher farm 50 feet into the Big Injun and has no show for a producer at that depth.

South of Mannington, Marion county, the South Penn has drilled its test on the W. I. Nutter farm deeper into the Gordon and has increased its gas pressure, making it the strongest gasser in that locality. In the Fairview district, in the same county, the same company has drilled its No. 1 on the Tennant-Haught farm into the fourth sand and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper.

Near Burton, Wetzel county, the Jupiter Oil and Gas Company has drilled its No. 4 on its own farm into the Gordon and has a show for a 25-barrel producer. Near Sedalia, Doddridge county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the Porter Lyons farm into the Gordon and has a fair gasser in that formation. On Kinchlow creek, Lewis county, the Crude Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 3 on the L. and J. Gall farm in the fifth sand and has a 15-barrel pumper. On Salem Fork, Ten Mile district, the Industrial Oil Company has given its test on the Industrial Home property another shot and it responded by producing 140 barrels the ensuing 24 hours. In the same district the Greer Oil Company has completed and put its test on the L. E. Robinson farm to pumping and it is producing 20 barrels a day. The Star Oil and Gas Company has completed its test on the Joel Randolph farm and will not have better than a 5-barrel pumper in the Gordon.

In the Bonds Creek district, Ritchie county, Lawrence & Co. have completed their test on the John Newbrough farm and have a gasser in the Keener. North of Cairo, in the same county, the Stewart United Oil Company's No. 18 on the William Harkness farm has declined to 85 barrels a day. On the river front, in Wood county, the Nelson Oil Company has completed its test on the J. M. Warmsley farm and has a light pumper in the Macksburg 500-foot sand. In the same district, Varner Bros. have drilled their test on the Debby Shepherd farm through the Cow Run sand and gave it a shot. It is showing for a 10-barrel pumper.

In the Wolf Creek district, Washington county, O., the Pure Oil Producing Company has drilled its No. 37 H. H. Greenlee farm through the shallow sand and has a show for a 5-barrel pumper. In the Port Homer district, Jefferson county, H. C. DeSellen has completed his No. 14 on the H. C. DeSellen farm and has a duster in the Berea grit.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 9	73,571	March 8	87,832
Previously	672,122	Previously	481,655
Total	745,703	Total	569,587
Daily avg	81,745	Daily avg	71,323

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 9	56,643	March 8	68,730
Previously	578,978	Previously	369,876
Total	635,621	Total	438,606
Daily avg	70,737	Daily avg	54,828

The Oil Market.

The Standard Oil Company's prices for the several fields are as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 39; Tiona, $1 54; Second Sand, $1 29; Corning, $1 06; New Castle, $1 31; Cabell, $1 14; North Lima, 93c; South Lima and Indiana, 88c; Somerset, 89c; Ragland, 53c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 39.

OIL CITY, March 10.—Credit balances, $1 39; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 73,571 barrels; average, 82,856 barrels; runs, 87,031 barrels; average, 71,086 barrels. Shipments, Lima, 56,643 barrels; average, 70,740 barrels; runs, 68,730 barrels; average, 54,740 barrels.

TOLEDO, O., March 10.—North Lima, 93c; South Lima and Indiana, 88c.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $1,027,191; government receipts from internal revenue, $607,885; customs, $903,576; miscellaneous, $47,503; expenditures, $1,240,000.

CHICAGO, March 10.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 20@32c; dairies, 18@27c. Eggs easier; at mark, cases included, 18½c; firsts, 19c; prime firsts, 20c; extras, 21c. Cheese firm at 12@13½c.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Butter firmer; extra western creamery, 26½@27c; nearby prints, 29c. Eggs good demand firm; nearby fresh, 24c at mark; western fresh, 24c at mark. Cheese firm: New York full creams, fancy, 13¾@13⅞c; choice, 13½c; fair to good, 12⅛@13¼c.

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TRAFFIC MEN ARE TO CELEBRATE

General Passenger Agents' Association to Observe Its 50th Anniversary Here.

ORGANIZED IN THIS CITY

About 50 years ago there was organized in Pittsburgh the American Association of General Passenger Agents, representing the comparatively few lines then in existence. On March 13, as a matter of sentiment, and to indulge in a reminiscence, the association will return to its original birthplace, celebrating its golden jubilee and creating a new birth under vastly different conditions.

In the span of 50 years the association has held meetings in pretty nearly every section of the country, from Maine to California, from Canada to Mexico, and perhaps no organization in the universe has seen its sphere of usefulness grow to such an extent and bring forth such wide-spreading benefits. Likewise the individuals of few organizations have so radically changed their methods of work, and the character of their duties.

The narrow bonds which, in those early days, circumscribed the field of the general passenger agent have so widened and enlarged in the passing years, that the present organization continues, but the merest shreds of the lines and policies in the days of its inception. It is now a representative body of men, not alone skilled in the art of ticket selling and baggage checking, but in more important and fruitful channels to both the stockholders of the American railways, and the public. This, by reason of the fact that in the hands of the individuals of the association rest the matter of passenger transportation facilities all over the United States, the executive officers depending very largely upon the heads of the passenger department for their recommendations covering passenger equipment, train service, station facilities, express business and the United States mail service. It extends even further than that on some of the larger systems like the New York Central lines and the Pennsylvania railroad, for it is the advertising department of the general passenger department that shapes and molds the destinies of almost any territory.

Will Discuss Business Matters.

While this gathering is in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary it is pretty generally understood that there is a feeling among the younger element of the general passenger agents that the gathering should take on somewhat of a business aspect, to the end that future meetings may bring about uniformity of rules throughout the country, and the economical arrangement of through car lines, and in particular consider anything that may better transportation conditions in the Pittsburgh district. A meeting somewhat similar in its character was held in Pittsburgh some years ago, when the representatives of the Vanderbilt lines met, the result of that meeting being a generally much better service over the Vanderbilt line with a Pittsburgh terminal, and since this meeting is more comprehensive in its scope and the traffic experts present will represent practically every large system and independent line in the country, and will have an opportunity to see with their own eyes the wonderful development of this district, it is a foregone conclusion that benefits to the traveling public will accrue from the meeting.

L. A. Robison, general passenger agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, and Samuel Moody, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines, the two members of the association in Pittsburgh, are looking after local arrangements, and have planned for the entertainment and comfort of the visitors. The meeting will convene at the Hotel Schenley March 13, at 11 a. m., and after the usual preliminaries of opening it is proposed to call the roll as it existed in 1855, which call, it need scarcely be said, will be answered by comparatively few of the present body. F. E. Boothby, president, will give an address during the forenoon, and after lunch D. B. Martin, passenger traffic manager of the B. & O., will address the meeting. The balance of the afternoon will be spent in business discussion, and a formal banquet will be tendered at night. Reminiscences will be indulged in by Messrs. Samuel Powell, A. J. Smith, D. J. Flanders, S. H. Hardwick, George L. Conner, George T. Nicholson, F. C. Donald, J. R. Wood, George H. Daniels, H. C. Townsend, F. I. Whitney and James L. Taylor, and a number of short chats will be made by some of the younger passenger men.

Notable Railroaders Coming.

The association membership embraces general passenger agents, passenger traffic managers and commissioners of traffic associations, and about 125 representatives of the various lines will be present. Among them will be many notable figures in railroad history, as, for instance, George H. Daniels, of the New York Central & Hudson River, perhaps the best-known G. P. A. in the country, and the orator, second only to Chauncey Depew, of the Vanderbilt system; W. J. Lynch, of the Big Four; C. F. Daly, the recently appointed passenger traffic manager of the Vanderbilt lines west of Buffalo; "Col." A. J. Smith, the veteran of the Lake Shore; O. R. Ruggles, of the Michigan Central; James R. Wood, passenger traffic manager of the Pennsylvania Railroad company; Col. Samuel Moody, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines; E. A. Ford, manager passenger traffic, Pennsylvania lines; Charles S. Fee, of the Northern Pacific; H. C. Townsend, of the Missouri Pacific; A. H. Hanson, of the Illinois Central; L. M. Allen, of the Rock Island; C. S. Crane, of the Wabash, and F. A. Miller, of the C., M. & St. P.

Egg Weighed Half a Pound.

Ernest Herklotz of McKeesport yesterday received a hen egg from Frank Kayser of Versailles township which weighs a little more than eight ounces and is as large as a baseball. It was laid at Mr. Kayser's farm by a prize Andalusian hen. The new owner of the egg intends to have it hatched in an incubator.

Presentation to a Pastor.

The Rev. Dr. James Maxwell, pastor of the First Baptist church, McKeesport, has been presented by his congregation with an increase in salary from $1,400 to $1,600, as well as two months' leave of absence and free transportation for himself and wife to London, England, in July, when Mr. Maxwell will attend the Baptist congress.

Pinehurst, Camden and Florida.

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VIENNA COURT SENDS REQUEST

Imperial and Royal Military Commander Wants Depositions Taken Here.

CYRUS S. DAULER ACQUITTED

The imperial and royal military commander of Vienna, in his capacity as president of the royal and imperial military court, filed a request through the Austrian consul of this city, asking that the deposition of Franz Harmack, a Homestead saloonkeeper, and his son Frank, be taken in a case before the military court of Vienna, against an alleged deserter from the reserve infantry. The request is addressed to the court of justice at Homestead, or any other competent court of Pennsylvania. Jacob Klein, alias Dr. John Zilkon, alias Dr. Johann Stein, as the defendant in the case is given, is charged with desertion and fraud.

The commander of the Vienna court states the depositions of the Harracks are important in securing a conviction and he says, "In similar cases we are always and willingly prepared to render reciprocal services."

The papers state Klein was charged in 1903 with having obtained $300 from the elder Hamrack to pay costs in a case before Justice George Giles of Homestead, Pa., before whom he was charged with swindling. It is also alleged that he borrowed a gold watch and chain from young Hamrack, stating he would return it in a few days, and that he owed $50 for board to the elder Hamrack. It is on these points the Vienna court wishes to interrogate the Hamracks and the watch and chain are sent for identification.

Cyrus S. Dauler, a well-known young man of this city, was acquitted of a charge of larceny by bailee. The charge was made by Lawrence Barr of St. Louis, but formerly connected with a telephone company of this city. The suit was said to have been the result of some gambling debts between the men, who were friends prior to the litigation.

Barr was a member of the Monongahela club and is said to have induced Dauler to join, advancing a certificate for 100 shares of National Fireproofing Company's stock, on which Dauler raised the necessary cash for his initiation fee. Dauler testified that he and Barr sat in a couple of stiff all-night poker games and at the end of one sitting he owed Barr $452, for which he gave him $2 in cash and a check for $450. Barr, he said, later gave him another certificate for 100 more shares of stock, which he sold later through Sproul & Co. for $1,800, less the commissions due.

Ball alleged the sale of his stock was made without his knowledge, but Dauler claimed Barr had advised him to make the sale, and that it was on these instructions that he did so.

Walter Bell pleaded guilty to stealing a clock from H. D. Quartz of Liberty avenue and was sent to the workhouse for 60 days. John Wilson and Frank Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of entering a building and were sent to the Huntingdon reformatory. They were alleged to have stolen a lot of fixtures from the home of Margaret Flynn of 2321 Wylie avenue.

Mary Engel of the Thirty-ninth ward by her will leaves her property to three daughters, with reversion to their children. She directs that she be buried in St. Martin's Roman Catholic cemetery, in Chartiers, and that a tombstone, not to cost more than $100, be placed over the graves of herself and her husband. She leaves $200 for masses, $100 to the Troy Hill orphan asylum, $50 to the Rosalia Foundling asylum and $50 to a negro who is not named. The will provides than any beneficiary contesting shall forfeit all claims. The estate is worth $10,700.

Susanna Crawford leaves an estate of $22,000 to five children, with special bequests of five shares of First National bank stock to Fannie and four shares to Ida, two of her daughters.

The hearing in the injunction proceedings brought by the city of Pittsburgh against the Co-Operative Light and Power Company was continued by Judge Frazer till a later date, and the preliminary injunction was extended till the final hearing. The defendant company filed an answer denying the allegations of the city that it had tunneled under the streets in the Fourth ward for the purpose of laying wire conduits and the tunneling had caused the streets to sink.

The company states that it is willing to give bond to secure the city from damage. The company denies that H. C. Frick and J. C. Barr, named as defendants, are officers of the concern, Frick being an electrician employed and Barr a stockholder.

Judge Miller of the orphans' court filed an opinion in the estate of Peninah Kountz, deceased, on the question as to the nature of the powers of the husband as conferred by the will and his intent to exercise that power by his own will. The court holds that while the husband was granted extraordinary power, being directed to use his own judgment in the disposition of the estate to their children, that his exercise was valid and should be enforced, and orders the distribution made as directed by his will.

The terms of the husband's will directs that the business of the Kountz Bros. Co. brick works and the Harmarville Supply Company's store at Harmarville, be continued for five years, if a majority of the children think best, the proceeds to be equally distributed as shall be all stocks, bonds and transferable securities amounting to $111,622.28. The estate also consists of valuable real estate.

In the quarter sessions court an appeal was granted in the case of Anna Bumford of Shingiss street, who was sent to the workhouse for 60 days by Magistrate J. J. Kirby, on a charge of street walking, in default of a fine of $100. The woman was ordered released and a bond of $50 required. The petition was presented by Earl Bumford, the defendant's husband. The petition sets forth that Mrs. Bumford is not guilty of the offense with which she was charged and that she was arrested near her own home.

At a session of the juvenile court Nathan Gudinsky was sent to the reform school at Morganza. The boy was charged with being a vagrant, it being said he slept in the streets and in wagons. Earl Wheat, charged with vagrancy, was given into the care of the probation officers. Simpson Dorsey charged with snatching a pocketbook from Rose Finney in Center avenue, was sent to a home in New Castle.

The grand jury returned the following true bills: Felonious assault and battery, Steve Galobrin; felonious assault, James Waller; aggravated assault and battery, G. C. Kurtz; assault and battery, Edward Simpson, William Miller; burglary, S. M. Rhodes; larceny, Annie Andrl, Charles Adams, Soloman Max, Frank Jones, Richard Smith, Thomas Brown, Garley Stokes, William R. Boyde, Harry Jefferson, William Tucker, Gilbert Dorsey, William Bennett; larceny by bailee, Cecelia Wikaitis, forgery, William J. Ritz; pointing firearms, Howard Banks, George Brown; misdemeanor, Harry Arthur, James Y. Patterson.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed against N. B. Brockman of Claysville, Washington county. The petitioners, the Grissman and Howe Saddlery Company of Cincinnati, the Joseph Speidel Grocery Company and the Wheeling Corrugating Company of Wheeling, present claims amounting to $536.07.

Laura J. Law filed suit in common pleas court No. 2 against Ella M. Brown, administrator of the estate of Joseph O. Brown, to recover $1,400 money alleged to have been given the late recorder for investment.

Executions issued: Freehold bank vs. Charles L. Zollinger, with notice, $2,521.17; John Lutz vs. Emilio Tuberoso, $112.50; Cosmopolitan Savings and Loan association vs. Harris Goodman, $2,349.17; Peter Gray for use vs. Rodman Street Baptist church, $133.50.

GRAIN AND FLOUR MEN TO OCCUPY NEW HOME

Old Ft. Wayne Offices Will Hereafter Be Known as the "Grain Exchange Building."

May 1, or thereabouts, the members of the Pittsburgh Grain and Flour exchange will find for themselves a new home in the old Ft. Wayne office building, Penn avenue and Tenth street. The building in future will be known as the "Grain Exchange building," and it will be the first time the Pittsburgh exchange has attained the dignity of having a building which was known particularly as its own.

The new exchange rooms will be on the third floor of the building, which will be altered to suit. There will be a director's room, superintendent's room, grain inspector's room and a large assembly room, with lavatories and all the modern conveniences for the comfort of the members.

Nearly all the grain dealers in the city who have their offices scattered about the downtown part of the city now will rent rooms in the new exchange building, and the intention is to centralize the business there as much as possible. Those who do not move in there this year will do so as soon as their present leases expire, and within a year it is believed the big building will be entirely given over to the dealers in hay, grain and flour.

The rooms in the McCance block, in the triangle at Liberty and Smithfield streets and Seventh avenue, have been occupied by the exchange for a number of years. The building is also occupied by a great many dealers, nearly all of whom will desert it this year for the new home, and others will go later.

MERCHANTS EXCURSION.

Local Business Men Preparing for the Inbound Trip Next Week.

The inbound excursion arranged by the Merchants and Manufacturers association of Pittsburgh will begin next week, and outside merchants are assured a free trip to Pittsburgh, as the local merchants have agreed to refund 1 per cent of the amount of their purchases, providing the amount does not exceed the cost of railroad fare. The offer will be open for 30 days, beginning March 15.

George H. Thompson, city passenger agent for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, had a conference with James W. Wardrop, secretary and manager of the Merchants and Manufacturers association, yesterday, to arrange for the outbound excursion to be made May 1 to 5. The itinerary has not been completed, but it is intended to visit about 30 towns.

MABEL SPANG RELEASED FROM THE SANITARIUM

Mabel Spang, daughter of Charles H. Spang, the Pittsburgh iron manufacturer, has been released from the sanitarium at Yonkers, N. Y., and is now said to be traveling in Europe. The attempt of Attorney H. J. Bebro of New York to have Miss Spang released from the sanitarium some months ago brought the family much notoriety, but the courts held Miss Spang, who is under 21 years old, to be subject to the discipline of her parents. It is said the girl and her parents have become reconciled.

PITTSBURGH SUICIDE CARRIED $10,000 POLICY

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 10.—(Special.)—An inventory of the estate of Elroy S. Platt, who fatally shot himself in the Duquesne hotel in Pittsburgh, in November, 1903, shows the proceeds of one life insurance policy for $10,000.

Pittsburgh Minister Called.

GREENSBURG, March 10.—(Special.)—The Rev. Jerome B. Henry of Norristown has accepted the pastorate of the Trinity Reformed church at New Kensington, succeeding the Rev. D. B. Lady, D. D., who was called to Duquesne. The Puckety and Shearsburg United Presbyterian congregations have extended a call to the Rev. J. B. McIsaac, of the Seventh Avenue United Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh.

Veteran Official Kills Himself.

COLUMBUS, O., March 10.—James W. Fleming, for 20 years assistant secretary of the Ohio state board of agriculture, and a director of the National Trotting association, committed suicide at his home in this city by shooting himself in the head. He had been in ill health.

ENTIRE FILTER PLANT GOING TO ONE CONCERN

Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow Think It Would Be the Best Way.

The T. A. Gillespie Company of this city is likely to get all the 10 contracts for constructing the filtration plant. Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow decided yesterday that it would be better to have one person responsible for the entire work than to split it up among several contractors. They admit this will cost the city from $30,000 to $50,000 more, but say this is not much in a total of nearly $6,000,000.

The award has not yet been definitely decided, and will not be until Tuesday. Under the law the mayor and the director are not compelled to award the contracts to the lowest bidder, but are allowed to use their judgment as to what would be for the best interest of the city.

Controller Larkin refuses to say what action he will take if the work is not let to the lowest bidder. He proposes to wait until the awards have been made and then will take legal advice.

J. C. MERCER HOME.

County Commissioner Returns from Mt. Clemens Much Improved in Health. Nine Bids on Bonds.

County Commissioner J. Carson Mercer arrived home yesterday morning to again take up his duties, but he has been advised by his physician to rest for a few days, at least, before he starts in on the routine work. Mr. Mercer says he is feeling very much improved after his treatment at Mt. Clemens, and expects in a short time to fully recover his health. He went to Mt. Clemens intending to remain but 10 days, but his physician insisted that he spend at least 30 days taking the baths and said he should take 60 days. He did not feel like devoting that much time, however, and insisted on coming home yesterday, as he felt that much important work awaited him.

Mr. Mercer has been suffering for several years with sciatic rheumatism. He first went to Atlantic City, believing that would do him some good, but became much worse and under the advice of a physician went to the Michigan health resort. He was quartered at the Colonial hotel and took the baths in the hostelry. He said there was no doubt about the healing quality of the waters, but he did not gain much strength while there, the physicians advising him he would gain strength after he stopped taking the hot baths. He said he was like a little boy and could not be restrained from coming home. Mr. Mercer did not go to his office yesterday, but his many friends were glad to learn of his improvement in health and several called to congratulate him on the results of the trip.

Commissioner Mercer said he hoped to be at the office in the court house on Monday to open up the bids on the $800,000 jail improvement bonds, which closed yesterday with nine bidders. Owing to the sickness of the two commissioners and the absence of County Controller Cunningham, the opening of the bids was postponed until Monday, so that it will not be known who the bidders are or what premium the bonds can command until they are opened and tabulated. There is no special hurry for this, however, as the money is not needed at once, and the bonds are not yet ready for distribution.

POLICE CAPTAIN ACCUSED OF ELECTION LAW VIOLATION

Captain of Police William Ammon of Homestead was held for court yesterday by Justice Giles of Munhall on a charge of violating the election laws. It is alleged Ammon at the recent election vouched for the residence of Arthur Montyeuse, a negro whom it is claimed lives in Wilmerding. Montyeuse voted in the Second ward, and he was also held for court by Justice Giles.

Lodge Honors Charles C. Langley.

Past Grand Charles C. Langley has been nominated by the R. Biddle Roberts lodge 530, I. O. O. F., of Allegheny, for district deputy grand master at the coming election of grand lodge officers to be held by the various lodges of the Fourth district of Allegheny county at the meeting this month. Mr. Langley has been a member of the order for 13 years, and has been one of the most active members of Roberts lodge, having served as a trustee, a representative to the grand lodge and held other important offices. All the past grands of Roberts lodge have indorsed Mr. Langley's candidacy.

The Montreal Short of Coal.

According to a telegram received by the steamship department of the First National bank, the French Line steamer Montreal, bound for New York with freight and steerage passengers, called today at Fayal, Azores, short of coal. All passengers on board are well and the steamer will proceed tomorrow and arrive at New York, probably at the end of next week.

STREET CAR EMPLOYES WILL ASK HIGHER PAY

Contract Calling for an Increase of 2 Cents an Hour Is to Be Presented.

If demands formulated by a meeting of Division 85 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes are approved by the national executive board, the Pittsburgh Railways Company will be called upon to pay increased wages when the annual agreement between the men and the company expires on March 31. The employes held a meeting at Arnfeld's hall on Wednesday night, continuing until a late hour yesterday morning, to discuss the matter. It was agreed to ask for an increase of 2 cents an hour and a change in the procedure of considering grievances.

Business Agent H. C. Williams said yesterday copies of the proposed contract would be sent to the national headquarters at Detroit for approval, after which the matter will be taken up with the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

At the offices of the company it was said that no official knowledge had come concerning the action of the employes. No trouble was anticipated, in any event, it was given out. No further move is expected until after the next meeting of the division on March 23.

WILL TELL OF EVILS OF THE LOCAL SWEAT SHOPS

Hugh O'Donnell, who has been investigating the sweatshops of Pittsburgh, will speak at a massmeeting in the interest of child labor reform, to be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the rooms of the chamber of commerce. Mr. O'Donnell's investigations in Pittsburgh have been very thorough. It is said that his report, when made public, will contain some startling charges.

CAPTURED TRAIN ROBBER COMES FROM MONESSEN

CONNELLSVILLE, March 10.—(Special.)—Capt. Charles Horne, of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad police force, received word today that the man who 10 days ago held up and stoned a train on the Fairmont, Morgantown & Pittsburgh branch had been captured near Morgantown, W. Va. He gave his name as Charles Kane and his home as Monessen, Pa.

THE CAMEL'S HEAD.

"Where the camel's head goes his body follows," says an Oriental proverb. It's the same way with disease. A small opening will give it an entrance and when disease once has a place in the body a large number of ills may follow it.

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